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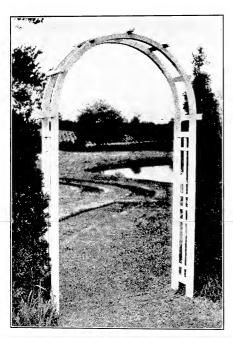
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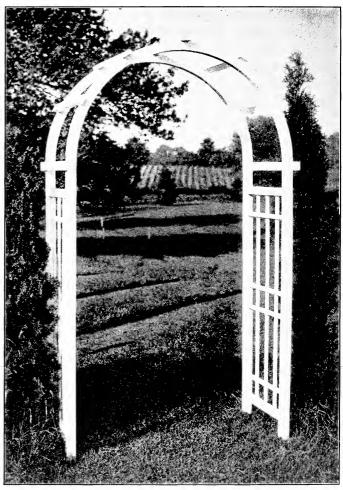
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We believe we are capitalizing our Lexington location to the full, when we bring to the attention of our friends that we conduct almost in the heart of the Metropolitan District a Nursery that is dedicated primarily to the producing of high grade strong specimen stock. We believe in hardy New England grown stock for New England gardens.

In compiling this our 1925 catalogue, we have had two specific things in mind: We wished to place in the hands of all those who enjoy growing things a complete handbook of quality nursery stock both for ready reference and for careful study; we wished to extend a cordial invitation to all who may see this catalogue to visit us in our Lexington home. The welcome that awaits you is the same whether you come to buy from us or not. In this connection we are most gratified to note an ever increasing number of our patrons who now feel sufficiently at home to bring their friends and show them around our grounds much in the manner of hosts. We feel that such a custom, if custom it may be called, can only have come into being through our having created something unusual by way of "a garden for garden lovers."

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Our Shade and Lawn Trees are well grown, transplanted specimens, dug with strong fibrous roots. We can usually supply larger sizes than these here listed. In this list will be found some of our best-known native trees, as well as some that are less familiar but equally valuable.

Ultimate height at maturity under average conditions is denoted by letters, thus: A, Fifty feet or more, B, Twenty to forty feet, C, Ten to twenty feet, D, Six to ten feet.

Sizes of young trees which we can supply are shown by figures following the descriptions. For the sake of exactness we list trees, shrubs, and plants under their botanical names.

#### ACER — MAPLE

These are without doubt the most popular shade and street trees. They grow rapidly to a height of forty feet or more; they are very hardy, and are comparatively free from insect pests.

A. dasycarpum (White or Silver-leaved Maple). A. The most rapid growing of the Maples with deeply-cut leaves, silvery beneath. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 14 to 16 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 16 to 18 ft., \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten.

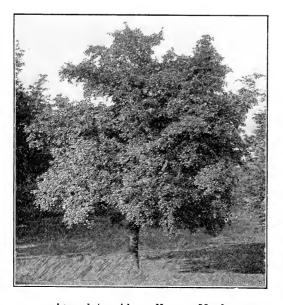
A. var. Wieri laciniatum (Wier's Cut-leaved Silver Maple). A. Its foliage is deeply cut and is borne upon long recurving, pendulous branches. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 8 to 10 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00

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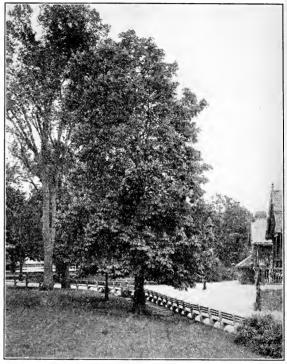
- A. Negundo (Ash-leaved Maple or Box Elder). A. Growth rapid, regular and spreading; does well on dry soil. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.50 each; \$22.00 for
- A. platanoides (Norway Maple). A. Native of Europe. A large spreading tree, with a more round, compact form than the Sugar Maple. It is a very hardy, vigourous tree, the best of all Maples for seashore planting, and one of the best for street purposes. Attractive yellow flowers in Spring. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.75 each, \$25.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft. 11/2 to 13/4 in. \$3.25 each, \$30.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft., 134 to 2 in. \$3.50 each, \$32.00 for ten; 14 to 16 ft. \$5.00 each; \$45.00 for ten; 16 to 18 ft. \$7.00 each, \$65.00 for ten.

A. var. Schwedleri (Schwedler's Norway Maple). B. The early foliage of this variety is a bright crimson, fading to purplish green. Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$3.00; 8 to 10 ft. \$3.50.

A. saccharum (Sugar or Rock Maple). A. Probably the most generally used of all shade trees. Upright, straight, symmetrical, well adapted to street planting. Its brilliant Autumn tints are familiar to all. *Price:* 8 to 10 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten, 12 to 14 ft. \$2.75 each; \$27.00 for ten.



Acer platanoides --- Norway Maple



ÆSCULUS — HORSE-CHESTNUT

While young trees Probably the best known of our flowering trees. are apt to be unsightly, older specimens are usually very symmetrical, and when covered with bloom are of most striking appearance.

Æ. hippocastanum (European or White-flowering Horse-Chestnut). A. Most common variety, of large growth in deep soil, flowering in May. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.25 each, \$20.00 for ten; 8 to 10 ft., \$3.50 each, \$32.00 for ten.

E. var. flore pleno (Double White-flowering Horse-Chestnut). A.

Double white and pink flowers, larger than the type. Price:

8 to 10 ft. \$5.00 each; 10 to 12 ft. \$6.00 each.

E. var. rubicunda (Red-flowering Horse-Chestnut). B. The flowers are deep red, showing well against very dark foliage. 6 to 8 ft. \$5.∞ each.

AILANTHUS - TREE OF HEAVEN A. glandulosa. A. From Japan. A rapid-growing tree, with feathery, tropical foliage. Does well on poor soil, and thrives in cities, where it is often used. Price: 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00 each.

ARALIA — ANGELICA TREE

A. spinosa (Hercules' Club). B. Vigourous in growth, making a large clump from suckers freely produced. In August it bears large clusters of white flowers. It is used for tropical effects in conjunction with other shrubs and low trees. 3 to 4ft. 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten; 4 to 5ft. \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten. BETULA — BIRCH

One of the most graceful members of the great family of trees. All are attractive, whether the upright or weeping forms. They thrive on poor soil and in exposed situations.

B. alba (White Birch, European). A. Symmetrical, of rapid growth, reaching a height of thirty feet. Spray-like branches, bark pure white after three or four years' growth. Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00.

B. var. pendula laciniata (Cut-leaved Weeping Birch). B. Very much in favour as an ornamental tree for the lawn. Tall, slender and graceful, its branches droop in long streamers; bark silvery white. Spring planting is best. Price each: 5 to 6

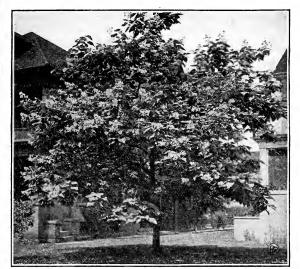
ft. \$3.00; 6 to 8 ft. \$3.50.

B. papyrifera (Canoe or Paper Birch).

B. Of strong, upright growth. Foliage broad, the bark assuming a silvery-white tint when very young. One of the best for ornamental or shade purposes. *Price each*: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00, 8 to 10 ft. \$2.75.

#### CARPINUS — HORNBEAM

C. Caroliniana (syn. Americana). B. Slow-growing, round-headed, similar in nature to the Beech. Foliage turns orange or scarlet in Autumn, remaining on tree all Winter. Will grow in poor soil. Price: 4 to 5 ft. \$1.50 each; \$14.00 for ten.



Catalpa Speciosa - Indian Bean

#### **CATALPA**

C. Bungei (Umbrella Tree). D. A dense, spherical head of large heart-shaped leaves grafted on a stem five to six feet in height, useful as a formal ornament for lawn or avenue. Hardy in Boston and southward. Price: 2 year heads, \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten.

C. speciosa (Indian Bean). A. A variety common in the West. Bears large orchid-shaped white flowers in July, followed by long bean-pods. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 for ten; 8 to 10 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten.

#### CERASUS — CHERRY

C. Amanogawa (Pink Japanese Cherry). D. duction, pyramidal in form. Price each: \$5.00. Anew intro-

#### CERCIDIPHYLLUM — KADSURA TREE

C. Japonicum. B. A tree of compact pyramidal outline. The heart-shaped leaves are rosy purple in Spring, silvery beneath. Prefers damp soil. Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00; 8 to 10 ft. \$2.50.

#### CERCIS — JUDAS TREE or RED BUD

C. Canadensis. C. Before the foliage appears, the stems are clothed with a profusion of reddish-purple flowers, quite unique in colour and appearance. The leaves are heartshaped with a glossy surface. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.00; 4 to

#### CHIONANTHUS - WHITE FRINGE

C. Virginica. D. One of the most ornamental of shrubs, producing racemes of fringe-like white flowers in June. The leaves are moderately large, dark green, and are quite ornamental. Will thrive in low, marshy ground as well as in higher situations. *Price*: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.50 each.

### Spraying for Leaf Eating Insects

The annual ravages of brown-tail, gypsy moth, and tent caterpillars may be controlled by the use of Corona Dry Arsenate of Lead. For both trees and shrubs coming into full leaf, one half pound of Dry Arsenate to ten gallons of water, or two to three level teaspoonfuls to the gallon will be effective and will not burn the foliage.



Cornus Florida — White Dogwood

#### CORNUS — FLOWERING DOGWOOD

C. florida. (White Flowering Dogwood). B. American variety of irregular habit with spreading open top, growing about 25 feet The flowers are white, produced in May, followed by scarlet berries and gorgeous Autumnal colouring of the leaves. It associates well with other low trees. Does best in a warm, sheltered location in New England. Price: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.00 each,

\$9.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$1.50 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$3.50 each.

C. var. rubra (Red Flowering Dogwood). C. The flowers are like C. florida, except that they are a deep rose-colour, freely produced. A fit companion to the white form. Price each:

3 to 4 ft. \$3.50.

#### CRATÆGUS - FLOWERING HAWTHORN

Among the flowering trees hardy in this climate, the Hawthorns take a prominent part. They bloom in May and June, and bear scarlet or coral-red berries which remain late into the Winter. The Common Hawthorn (C. oxyacantha) is much used for hedges.

C. cordata (Washington Thorn). B. Clusters of small white flowers, followed by bright red fruit. Price each: 3 to 4 ft.

\$1.25; 4 to 5 ft. \$1.50.

Crus-galli (Cockspur Thorn). C. Long thorns, glossy foliage, and bright fruit in Autumn. Makes a fine hedge and screen plant. Price: 4 to 5 ft. \$1.00 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten.

C. oxyacantha (Common Hawthorn). C. The English Hedge Thorn and excellent for the purpose in this country. Pure white flowers. Price: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$1.25 each, \$11.00 for ten.

C. var. alba plena (White-flowering Double Thorn). contrast to the Double Scarlet or Paul's Thorn. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$3.00.

C. var. coccinea fl. pl. Paulii (Paul's Double Scarlet Thorn).
C. The best of the double varieties. The flowers are of brilliant carmine. Generally used as small tree. Price each: 4 to 5 ft. \$3.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$5.00.

#### FAGUS — BEECH

Beeches form a most valuable class of trees, long lived, symmetrical, bardy, and free from insects. They are suitable for planting as individuals or in groups. In Autumn the foliage of the American form turns a clear yellow, while that of the European takes on a reddish-brown shade. Beeches should be planted in early Spring.

F. sylvatica (European Beech). A. Of slower growth than the American, with darker bark and more compact habit. Price: each: 5 to 6 ft. \$3.00; 6 to 8 ft. \$3.50.

F. var. purpurea (Copper Beech). A. A noble tree with purple foliage. Price each: 5 to 6 ft. \$4.00; 6 to 8 ft. \$5.00.

F. var. purpurea Riversii (Rivers' Purple Beech). A. The leaves, in good specimens, are almost black, and hold their colour throughout the season. A difficult tree to transplant; it should be moved when small, and closely pruned. Price each: 4 ft. \$5.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$6.00.

#### FRAXINUS — ASH

The Ash is of rapid growth, and a clean, healthy, vigourous tree. Moths will not feed upon its leaves.

F. Americana (American White Ash). A. A well-known native tree. Good in parks, grounds, or streets. Price each: 8 to 10 ft. \$1.50.

#### GINKGO -- MAIDEN-HAIR TREE

G. biloba. B. A small tree from Japan, grows into columnar form to about 40 feet. The foliage is formed like the Adiantum Fern, thick and glossy. Very desirable on small grounds. *Price:* 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten.

#### GLEDITSCHIA - HONEY LOCUST

G. triacanthos (*Honey Locust*). B. A fast growing native, with strong thorns and fine foliage. It is quite hardy and ought to be planted more generally. Price: 3 to 4 ft. 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$36.00 for 100; 4 to 5 ft. 75¢ each, \$7.00 for ten; \$60.00 for 100.

#### JUGLANS — WALNUT

- J. cinerea (Butternut). A. Formerly a well-known tree, esteemed for its nuts of delicate flavour. Price each: 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50.
- J. nigra (Black Walnut). A. An old favourite bearing nuts with thick, very rich kernels. Price each: 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50.

#### LABURNUM — GOLDEN CHAIN

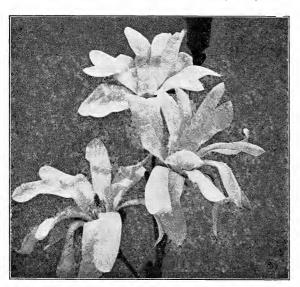
L. vulgare (Cytisus Laburnum). A. Native of Europe, with smooth and shining foliage. The name "Golden Chain" alludes to the length of the drooping racemes of yellow flowers, which appear in June. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.50; 6 to 8 ft. \$2.50.

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L. Europæa (European Larch). A. Compact in growth, with light green foliage and drooping habit. Valuable as a timber tree and beautiful as a specimen on one's grounds. Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.50.

#### LIRIODENDRON

L. tulipifera (*Tulip Tree* or *Whitewood*.). A. Among the largest of our native trees, forming broad, spreading specimens. Leaves glossy and fiddle-shaped. The flowers resemble Tulips, and are large and greenish-yellow, blotched with orange, appearing in June. *Price each:* 6 to 8 ft. \$2.50.



Magnolia Stellata

#### MAGNOLIA

- M. acuminata (Cucumber Tree). A. A tree of large pyramidal growth, with large, deep-green leaves and yellowish-white inconspicuous flowers in May. The showy carmine fruits are shaped like cucumbers. Hardy and vigourous. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$3.00 each.
- M. Alexandrina. C. Flowers similar to M. Soulangeana, somewhat lighter. Blooms a little earlier. Price each: 4 ft. \$7.00; Specimen, \$10.00 each.

- M. Soulangeana. C. Perhaps the most popular of all Magnolias, being of vigourous growth, and blooming profusely even when quite small. The flowers are large, pink on the outside of petals and white inside. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$7.00; Specimens, \$10.00 each.
- M. stellata (Hall's Magnolia). C. A charming dwarf tree. Flowers double, pure white or with a rosy flush; petals long and narrow. The blossoms greatly resemble our Pond-Lily in appearance. The fragrance is delicate. Earliest and most abundant blooming of all the Magnolias. Price each: 2½ to 3ft. \$6.00.

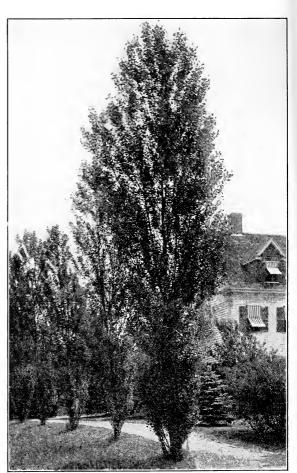
#### MORUS - MULBERRY

- M. alba pendula (Tea's Weeping Mulberry). An old favourite for lawn decoration. It makes a low tree six feet high, with pendulous branches that reach to the ground. A truly delightful tree. Bears luscious black fruit. Price: 2 year beads, \$3.00 each.
- M. Tatarica (Russian Mulberry). Price: 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50 each.

#### PLATANUS --- PLANE TREE

Rapid-growing trees, attaining a large size. The bark rolls from the trunk and limbs in sheets, leaving patches of yellow and green. They do well on any soil and are free from insett pests.

P. orientalis (Oriental Plane). A. This tree is a favourite for street-planting purposes, as it is a rapid grower and not affected by the air of cities or by insects. Price: 10 to 12 ft. \$2.00 each.



Lombardy Poplars

#### POPULUS - POPLAR

The Poplars supply us with rapid growing trees in forms suitable for street, shade, and screening purposes. Probably the best known variety is the Lombardy Poplar used so much for screening unsightly objects. For this purpose it should be set from 4 to 8 feet apart, according to the density of screen required.

deltoides var. monilifera (Carolina or Cottonwood Poplar). A. Good in almost any location, thriving at the seashore in poor, sandy soil. It forms a fine-shaped spreading tree, with large, dark glossy leaves, and for screens is unequaled. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$1.50 each, \$12.50 for ten, 10 to 12 ft. \$1.75 each, \$15.00 for ten; 12 to 15 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten.

nigra fastigiata (Lombardy Poplar). A well-known tree of narrow, upright growth, with light green, small leaves. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten, \$80.00 for 100; 8 to 10 ft. \$1.25 each, \$11.00 for ten, \$90.00 for 100; 10 to 12 ft. \$1.50 each, \$12.50

for ten, \$100.00 for 100.



Pyrus Malus - Flowering Crab Apple

#### PYRUS MALUS — FLOWERING CRAB APPLE

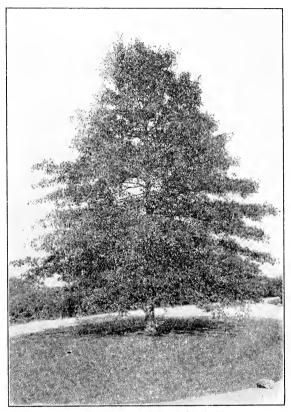
A class of small trees not only beautiful in shape but also bearing some of the most delightful and delicate blossoms followed by attractive fruit.

- P. atrosanguinea (Carmine Crab). Makes a splendid head, covered with deep carmine flowers, not fading white. Very choice, followed by ornamental fruit. Price each: 3 to 4 ft.
- P. floribunda (Flowering Crab). C. A shrub or small tree with a symmetrical crown. Native of Japan. Leaves ovate, appearing with the flowers, bright green and lustrous, fading with tones of yellow and bronze. Flowers rose or rose-red, produced in great profusion; fragrant. Fruit red, about the size of a pea, on long, slender pedicels. A fine specimen plant and one of the best of the Spring-flowering trees. *Price each*: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50.
- P. floribunda var. Scheideckeri (Double-flowering Crab). Flowers double, bright rose, of great substance and durability. Splendid for cut-flowers. *Price each*: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.00.
- P. Ioënsis Bechteli fl. pl. (Bechtel's Double-flowering Crab). C. A shrub or small tree with spreading or ascending branches, forming a wide head. Leaves ovate or oval, dark green and lustrous on the upper surface, paler and pubescent beneath, turning yellow in Autumn. Flowers large and very double, resembling small roses, of a delicate pink or blush colour; fragrant. One of the most remarkable of Double-flowering Crabs, and should be in every garden. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$1.50; 3 to 4 ft. \$2.00; 4 to 5 ft. \$2.50.
- P. Parkmanii. C. From Japan. It grows about 20 feet high and fully as wide, and has an exceedingly dense head of fine branches. Each bud produces regularly five blossoms set on stems three inches long, which are so slender that they bend with the weight of the buds or bloom in a very graceful fashion. The buds are carmine in colour; the open blossoms are semidouble, and the tree, when in bloom, presents a most gorgeous appearance. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.00.

- P. Sargentii fl. pl. C. Double white. Price each: 3 to 4 ft.
- P. spectabilis (Chinese Flowering Crab.) C. Beautiful coral-red buds, paling to delicate rose. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.50.

PRUNUS - PLUM

P. Pissardi (Purple-leaved Plum). C. Handsome form, with purple leaves and wine-red fruits; one of the best of the small purple-leaved trees, retaining its colour until Autumn. Hardy wherever the common Plum will stand. *Price:* 4 to 5 ft. \$1.75 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 6 to 7 ft. \$2.75 each.



Quercus Palustris - Pin Oak

QUERCUS — OAK Long lived trees, free from insect and fungus pests; suitable for shade or street planting. The Pin Oak is one of the best permanent street trees, yet grows almost as rapidly as a Maple.

Q. coccinea (Scarlet Oak). B. There is no better Oak than this variety. It forms a large tree of fine proportions, the large, leathery leaves turning to a fiery scarlet in Autumn. A good street tree. *Price:* 6 to 8 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 8 to 10 ft. \$2.75 each, \$25.00 for ten.

Q. palustris (Pin Oak). A. We consider this and Coccinea the two best Oaks. It is distinguished by its elegant growth and the drooping tendency of its limbs, and fine, deeply-cut foliage, which, in the Autumn, colours brilliantly. Being one of the easiest Oaks to transplant, it is in great favour as a street tree. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft. \$3.50 each.

Q. rubra (RedOak). A. An American variety, rapid in growth, with large foliage, which assumes in the Autumn a purplish scarlet hue. It makes a fine specimen and cannot be too highly recommended for general planting. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft. \$3.50 each, \$32.00 for ten.

ROBINIA — ACACIA
R. hispida (Rose Acacia). C. Is valued for its elegant clusters of rose-coloured flowers, which expand towards the close of May, and continue for several weeks. The branches resemble a Moss Rose. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. 75 c.

#### SALIX --- WILLOW

Willows prefer a damp situation, but are often found growing luxuriantly in comparatively dry soil. They make graceful trees when allowed to develop, but are much used for screening purposes because they stand severe pruning without injury. The Laurel Leaved Willow (S. pentandra) is the most valuable plant for coarse hedge purposes.

S. Babylonica var. Wisconsin Weeping. A. A variety resembling the Babylonian Willow, except that it is more hardy.

Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.50.

S. elegantissima (Thurlow's Willow). B. A spreading, drooping tree, similar to the Babylonica. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$2.00 each.

S. pentandra, or laurifolia. (Laurel-leaved Willow). B. A rapid-growing tree notable for its shining, dark green foliage. May be grown as an individual specimen, or is useful for hedges or screens when height is desired. Does well at the seashore. Price: 3 to 4 ft. 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$30.00 for 100; 4 to 5 ft. 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten, \$50.00 for 100; 6 to 8 ft. \$1.00 each, \$9.00

S. Wentworthii (Wentworth's Willow). Upright growing, red bark. Price each: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.75.

S. aucuparia (European Mountain Ash). D. A most conspicuous tree in Autumn, when loaded with clusters of bright scarlet berries. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$3.50 each.

SYRINGA — LILAC
S. Japonica (Japan Tree Lilac). C. Under this head we can include but one variety,—the remarkable Tree Lilac of Japan, all other forms being strictly shrubs. The common Lilacs mildew the last half of the Summer, but the foliage of this variety is always clean and glossy. Makes a clean, straight trunk, and develops into one of the handsomest of small trees. Price: 3 to 4 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten. [See Shrubs Section for Hybrid Lilacs.]

TAXODIUM — DECIDUOUS or BALD CYPRESS. distichum. A. The fine, feathery foliage of this tree, its rapid pyramidal growth, and beauty when in full foliage, find for it a place in every collection. Though preferring a damp situation, it does not demand it, as many fine specimens are thriving in dry soils in high altitude. Prune closely when transplanted. Price each: 8 to 10 ft. \$3.50.



Tilia-Linden

#### TILIA - LINDEN or LIME

The Lindens are excellent shade and street trees, thriving under all ordinary conditions. They are being largely used, especially the American and European varieties, for planting along our streets and state highways, as they seem to resist the attack of most insects.

T. Americana (Linden or Basswood). A. The largest-growing Linden, making a majestic tree. Suitable for parks or streets. When in blossom, its yellow flowers are intensely fragrant. A

T. Europæa (Lime, or European Linden). B. With dark bark and small foliage. Useful in all locations. Price each: 8 to

10 ft. \$2.50.



Ulmus Americana - American Elm

#### ULMUS -- ELM

Here in New England many towns owe much of their beauty to the stately Elms which border their streets. The American Elm is, of course, the best known, but the English Elm (U. campestris) is being much used for street planting. Its foliage is somewhat smaller than that of our native variety and its habit of growth more spreading.

U. Americana (American Elm). A. A large and stately tree with long and graceful branches. Leaves oblong, sharply serrate, dark green, turning pale yellow in Autumn. Very picturesque in age, and desirable for lawn or landscape. Price: 6 to 8 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 8 to 10 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.50 each; \$22.00 for ten, \$200.00 for 100; 12 to 14 ft. \$4.00 each; \$36.00 for ten; 14 to 16 ft. from \$5.00 up to

U. campestris (English Elm). B. More erect in growth, compact, and with smaller foliage and twiggy branches and trunk. A hardy, valuable tree. Price: 8 to 10 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 10 to 12 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 12 to 14 ft. \$4.00 each,

\$36.00 for ten.

U. var. pendula (Camperdown Weeping Elm). C. A remarkably picturesque weeping tree which extends its branches horizontally until it forms a complete arbor, its outer branches touching the ground. There is no other weeping tree quite like it. It does not grow over 15 feet high, while the spread of its branching head will cover 40 feet or more. Price: strong two-year old heads, each \$3.00.

# Landscape Department

We have connected with our Nurseries at Lexington, Mass., a Landscape Department which is at your service. Estimates gladly furnished.



Massing of Spiræa Van Houttei

# FLOWERING SHRUBS

When right selections are made, the shrub border will show striking flower or foliage effects from early Spring until Autumn. Even in Winter shrubs are attractive for the gracefulness and colour of their stems and branches. The following list comprises sorts which have been found of value in this climate. Most varieties may be planted with equal success in either Spring or Autumn. In general, for massed effects, the dwarf and small-growing shrubs should be set 2½ feet apart; medium and large-growing, 3 to 5 feet apart.

Shrubs for Shady Places: Berberis, Clethra, Cornus, Euonymus, Hamamelis, Ilex, Ligustrum, Lonicera, Symphoricarpos, Viburnum

Viburnum.

Normus Bearing Bright-Coloured Berries: Amelanchier (Red), Berberis (Red), Cornus (White), Elæagnus (Red), Euonymus (Red), Ilex (Red), Ligustrum (Black), Lonicera (Red or Yellow), Lycium (Red), Pyrus (Red or Black), Rhodotypus (Black), Rosa (Red), Sambucus (Red or Black), Symphoricarpos (White or Red), Viburnum (Black or Red).

Abbreviations denoting size at maturity: L, large (8 to 12 ft.); M, medium (5 to 8 ft.); S, small (3 to 5 ft.); D, dwarf (2 to 3 ft.); VD, very dwarf (1 to 2 ft.)

### Prices of Flowering Shrubs, except as noted: 60 cents each, \$5.00 for ten.

#### **AMELANCHIER**

A. Botryapium (Shadhush or Dwarf Juneherry). L. Bush or small tree; showy white flowers in April; fruit juicy, of good flavour.

#### **AMORPHA**

A. canescens (Lead Plant). S. June. Deep blue, attractive flowers. Foliage ash-coloured and hairy.

#### ARALIA — ANGELICA TREE

A. pentaphylla (Five-leaved Aralia). M. A graceful shrub, with arching, spiny branches and bright green shining foliage. Excellent on rocky banks and slopes, and also valuable for hedges.

#### ARONIA

A. arbutifolia (pyrus) (Red Chokeberry). M. Very ornamental shrub, leaves wooly beneath, bright tints in Autumn; pure white flowers and bright red berries.

A. floribunda var. nigra (Black Chokeberry). M. Has smooth leaves and large black berries in Autumn.

#### AZALEA

Without exception, the most showy of flowering shrubs. Dwarf in habit, they associate well with other shrubs, or can be grouped in masses. They prefer deep leaf-mould soil or peat, which will not dry out in Summer.

A. arboreseens (Smooth Azalea). S. July. A large and spreading Azalea, with handsome, dark green foliage, producing white and rose-tinted blossoms late in Summer. Highly fragrant. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$1.75 each, \$15.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$2.50 each.

A. calendulacea or lutea (Flame Azalea). M. June. In May and June this Azalea is a mass of blossoms of all shades from light straw-colour to the deepest orange. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten.

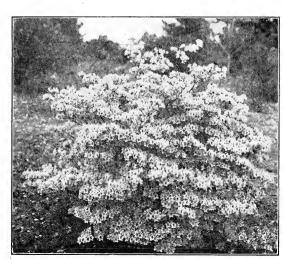
A. Kaempferi (Scarlet Azalea). Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$1.75; 18 to 24 in. \$2.50; 24 to 30 in. \$3.00.

A. mollis (Mixed Colours). D. Dwarf habit. Resembles Rhododendron; good foliage; flowers in all shades of red, white, yellow, and orange; perfectly hardy, thriving in sunny positions anywhere. Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$3.00.

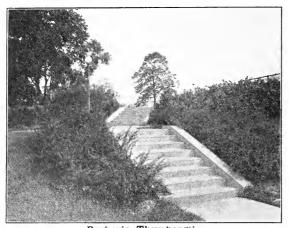
A. Vaseyi or Rhododendron Vaseyi. L. June. Its pink or

purple blossoms are very like the blossoms of the Rhododendrons. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.50 for ten.

A. viscosa (White Swamp Honeysuckle). L. June and July. Flowers in clusters, pure white, with shades of pink, and intensely fragrant. Price: 18 to 24 in. \$2.25 each, \$20.00 for ten; 24 to 30 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten.



Azalea Kaempferi



Berberis Thunbergii BERBERIS - BARBERRY

B. Thunbergii (Thunberg's Japanese Barberry). S. June. A species from Japan, with round, drooping habit; leaves of a fine brilliant green in Summer, taking on, from early Autumn till December, the most glowing colours. After the leaves fall, the branches are seen to be loaded with scarlet-crimson berries. Unexcelled as a hedge-plant, being thickly set with spines, and never growing bare. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$2.50 for ten, \$18.00 for 100; 15 to 18 in. \$3.00 for ten, \$20.00 for 100; 18 to 24 in. 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$30.00 for 100; 24 to 30 in. 60¢ each, \$5.00 for \$40.00 per 100.

B. vulgaris (Common Barberry). S. June. Vigourous habit; loose, open growth, with quantities of red berries in pendulous clusters in Autumn and Winter. 2 to 3 ft. 40¢ each, \$3.50

for ten. 3 to 4 ft. 50¢ each, \$4.50 for ten.

B. vulgaris var. purpurea (Purple Barberry). S. Deep purple foliage all Summer. Valuable for colour in planting and hedging.

BUDDLEIA

B. variabilis var. magnifica. (Butterfly Bush or Summer Lilac). S. Long spikes of lilac-purple flowers with yellow centres from midsummer until frost. It is semi-herbaceous, often dying back to within a few inches of the ground, but growing vigourously from the roots the next season. Spring planting is best. Grows best in rich soil with plenty of sunlight. Price: 2 to 3 ft. 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

CALYCANTHUS — SWEET SHRUB

C. floridus (Carolina Allspice). M. An old fashioned favourite, blooms all Summer. Fine glossy foliage and pineapple-scented, chocolate-coloured flowers.

CARAGANA - SIBERIAN PEA TREE

C. arborescens. L. June. Showy, small, yellow flowers. Dark green wood and attractive foliage.

CEPHALANTHUS — BUTTON BUSH
C. occidentalis. M. July. This shrub grows well in moist or wet ground, and its curious blossoms, on long stems, which hang all Summer as brown seed-balls are very picturesque.

CLETHRA — WHITE ALDER
C. alnifolia (Sweet Pepper Bush). S. July to September. Spikes of highly fragrant white flowers are produced in lavish profusion during nearly the entire Summer. Excellent for growing in shady spots.

COLUTEA — BLADDER SENNA

C. arborescens. L. July. Of compact growth. Light green, acacia-like foliage; yellowish-red, pea-shaped flowers, followed by curious red, bladder-shaped pods. Hardy and good in any

CORNUS - CORNEL or DOGWOOD

The Dogwoods are attractive for their delicate blossoms in Spring, the clusters of fruit in Autumn, and their bright coloured bark in

Winter. They grow rapidly, reaching a height of 8 feet or more. C. alba Sibirica (Red-barked Dogwood). M. In the Winter this is the most showy of all the shrubs, standing out bright and cheerful with its brilliant red bark. It should be planted in groups where its colour effect is visible at a distance. It has healthy, compact foliage, white flowers, and white berries.

C. paniculata (Gray Dogwood). L. July and August. A bush with a multitude of finely-branched gray twigs and stems, the whole plant taking the form of a round umbel of twigs.

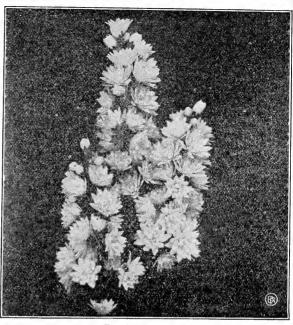
C. stolonifera aurea (Golden-barked Dogwood). M. A striking contrast when planted with the red-barked variety.

CORYLUS — FILBERT
C. avellana var. purpurea (Purple Hazel). L. A fine broad-leaved bush, with constant deep purple colour. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$1.00.

CYDONIA — JAPAN QUINCE

Price: 75¢ each; \$6.50 for ten
C. Japonica (Fire Bush). M. May. Glossy, dark foliage, with reddish tints. Large, deep scarlet flowers in abundance, followed by large fruit.

C. umbilicata. Dark red flowers.



Deutzia Lemoinei

DEUTZIA

D. crenata fl. pl. (Double Pink Deutzia). L. June. Very

double, white flowers, tinged with purplish rose.

D. var. Pride of Rochester. L. June. More vigourous and with larger panicles of flowers than the preceding. Blossoms are tinted with rose.

D. gracilis (Slender Deutzia). D. May or June. It forms a

round, dense bush, covered with snow-white flowers.

D. var. rosea (Slender Pink Deutzia). D. Of hybrid origin, closely resembling the preceding. Light rose-coloured flowers in profuse clusters. A pleasing variety.

D. Lemoinei. S. A remarkably fine hybrid. The branches are

entirely covered with erect panicles of large, snow-white flowers.

DIERVILLA — WEIGELA

Price: 75¢ each: \$6.50 for ten
These are free blooming old-fashioned shrubs without which no shrub
planting is complete. Their colour ranges from white to very dark red, with a variegated-leaved variety, which is one of the best of that

D. candida (White Weigela). M. Vigourous and fine in habit; the long tubular, white flowers are produced from June all

through the Summer.

D. floribunda. (Crimson Weigela). M. June. Deep crimson flowers, freely produced.

D. rosea. (Pink Weigela). M. June. A reliable and fine variety. Rose-coloured flowers.

D. var. nana variegata (Variegated Dwarf Weigela). S. Of dwarf habit, and possessing clearly defined, silvery variegated

leaves; flowers nearly white. D. Eva Rathke. One of the best of the Weigelas, the plant having a vigourous habit and bearing freely well-shaped, large, crimson-red flowers.

ELÆAGNUS — OLEASTER

Price: 75¢ each; \$6.50 for ten.

E. edulis or longipes (Japan Oleaster). L. July. The leaves are smooth and dark green above and covered on the lower surface with a dense silvery white pubescence. The small yellow flowers are solitary. The red fruit is exceedingly or-

#### EUONYMUS - STRAWBERRY TREE

E. alatus (Winged Burning Bush). L. A handsome shrub 6 to 8 feet tall, with corky-winged branches. Native of China and Japan. Leaves oval, bright green changing in Autumn to gorgeous tones of red and crimson. Price: \$1.25 each, \$11.00

for ten; selected specimens \$5.00 each.

E. Europæus (Spindle Tree). L. May. Forms a low, round-headed tree, very compact. Foliage dark, associating well with the pendulous orange and red fruit of Autumn. Price:

75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

#### EXOCHORDA — PEARL BUSH

E. grandiflora. L. Foliage broad, lanceolate-ovate, sharp-pointed. Delicately fragrant flowers, pure white, with spoonshaped petals which are very narrow and stand apart at the base.



Forsythia Fortunei

#### FORSYTHIA - GOLDEN BELL

The earliest of our Spring-flowering shrubs, blooming in April before the leaves appear. They reach a height of 6 to 8 feet; some are upright and stiff in habit of growth, while others, F. suspensa in particular, are drooping and graceful.

F. Fortunei (Golden Bell). L. April. One of our best hardy should be a proper to be

shrubs. Bears its bright yellow flowers in great profusion early in April, before the leaves appear. Foliage deep green and

handsome. Grows vigourously in any sunny situation.

F. intermedia. L. Similar to the preceding, but more drooping in habit and not so free-blooming. Good for mass planting.

F. suspensa (Weeping Golden Bell). L. April. The long,

willowy branches arch gracefully over to the ground and are covered to the tips with trumpet-shaped yellow flowers.

HAMAMELIS — WITCH HAZEL
H. Virginica. L. November. Large foliage with downy surface, and yellow flowers, appearing after the ripening of the leaves in November. Grows in all soils.

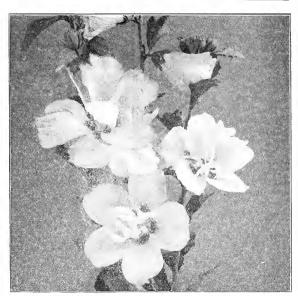
#### HIBISCUS — ALTHEA or ROSE OF SHARON

Upright growing shrubs too well known to require detailed description. The rose-like flowers are borne at a season when many other shrubs are taking on their Autumn foliage.

Double, white, red, pink and blue. Single, white, red and blue.

### Pruning Shrubs

The Spring and early Summer-flowering shrubs should be pruned after they are through blooming. Late Summer and Autumn-flowering shrubs and those bearing berries, should be pruned in either November or very early Spring. Pruning should be done so as to eliminate old wood. If this practice be continued, your shrubs will remain young and thrifty.



Hibiscus - Althea or Rose of Sharon HYDRANGEA

Price (except Standard): 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten
Old favourites which should be included in every shrub collection. They bloom late in the season and the heads of flowers remain until after cold weather sets in. They do well in dry soil; severe pruning in early Spring is necessary if profusion of bloom is sought.

H. arborescens var. grandiflora alba (Snowball Hydrangea).

M. Bears spherical heads of pure white flowers in July. H. paniculata. L. September. The single form of Paniculata grandiflora. Is valued highly in landscape planting and should be more generally used.

H. pan. var. grandiflora. L. September. Bears immense cone-shaped heads of white flowers, turning later to shades of pink and red. Given plenty of water and hard pruning every Autumn, its heads of bloom attain immense size.

H. pan. grand. Standard or Tree Form. Branched 2 to 3 feet above the ground, the total height being 5 feet or more. A pleasing small tree for lawn or border. *Price*: \$1.50 each.

ILEX — BLACK ALDER

I. verticillata (Black Alder). M. June. Glossy, dark green foliage and bright crimson berries late in Autumn. Ornamental. Grows in wet or shady places.

KERRIA — CORCHORUS or GLOBE FLOWER

Price: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

K. Japonica. M. A valuable shrub, bearing single yellow flowers all Summer; in Winter its green branches contrast in marked manner with other shrubs. K. var. flore pleno. Very double, deep yellow flowers.

LIGUSTRUM - PRIVET While the Privets are usually thought of as being particularly for hedging purposes they also become attractive flowering shrubs when given room to develop. (See also under "Hedges.)"

Price: 18 to 24 in. 30¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$15.00 for 100; 2 to 3 ft. 40¢ each, \$3.00 for ten, \$20.00 for 100; 3 to 4 ft. 50¢ each,

\$4.00 for ten, \$30.00 for Ico. L. Amurense (Amur River Privet). M. A large shrub with upright branches, growing 8 to 12 feet tall. Native of China. Leaves dark green and lustrous, tardily deciduous, or in the South nearly evergreen. Flowers white, in erect panicles.

South nearly evergreen. Flowers white, in erect panicles. Splendid for hedges. Sizes offered: 18 in. to 3 ft.

L. Ibota (Japanese Privet). M. July. A Privet of the most beautiful character. Dark, oval foliage, contrasting well with the prominent racemes of white, fragrant flowers. One of our best hardy hedge plants. Sizes offered: 18 in. to 3 ft.

L. ovalifolium (California Privet). M. Very broad oval-shaped leaves which remain on well into the Winter. One of the most universal of hedge plants and one of the best growing.

the most universal of hedge plants and one of the best growing, doing especially well at the seashore. Price: 18 to 24 in. 20¢ each, \$1.50 for ten, \$10.00 for 100; 210 3 ft. 25¢ each, \$1.80 for ten, \$12.00 for 100; 3 to 4 ft. 30¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$15.00 for 100. L. var. Regelianum (Regel's Privet). A form with spreading,

often horizontal branches, smaller and much more dense in habit. Valuable for informal hedges or as single specimens. Price: 2 to 2½ ft. 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten.

#### LONICERA - BUSH HONEYSUCKLE

These grow to medium height, and do well in dry shady spots where many other flowering shrubs will not thrive. The blossoms are similar to those of the well-known climbing form, and are followed by red

L. fragrantissima. M. April. A beautiful variety; strong growth; fragrant pink flowers in early Spring. One of the best

of shrubs.

L. Morrowi. M. July. One of the finest berry-bearing varieties, the fruit being a rich crimson and remaining a long time. Vigourous habit; yellow flowers.

L. Ruprechtiana (Manchurian Honeysuckle). M. A large shrub 8 to 12 feet tall, with broadly lanceolate, dark green leaves, which are whitened beneath with fine down. Flowers pure white, changing to yellow, opening in late Spring. Berries red or yellow.

L. Tatarica (Tartarian Honeysuckle). M. June. Bears a pro-

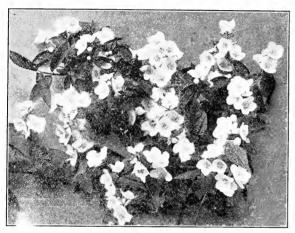
fusion of pink flowers.

L var. alba. Pure white, fragrant flowers.

L' var. rubra. Red flowers in great profusion. 

#### MYRICA - BAYBERRY

M. cerifera (Candleberry). M. May. A sub-evergreen, low spreading, native shrub, found in sandy places. It covers itself with crowded masses of small white berries in Autumn. is nothing to equal it for covering sandy or gravelly banks.



#### Philadelphus Coronarius

PHILADELPHUS - SYRINGA or MOCK ORANGE

These old fashioned shrubs cannot be surpassed for wealth and fragrance of bloom. Varieties may be selected which will grow tall, or which will not exceed a height of 4 to 5 feet. The Golden Syringa is the brightest and best known of our yellow leaved shrubs.

P. coronarius (Mock Orange). L. June. Pure white flowers

in dense clusters; very fragrant.
P. var. foliis aureis (Golden Syringa). M. July. Of medium dense growth, with golden yellow foliage. A fine shrub for contrast with dark foliage. Price: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

P. grandiflorus (Large-flowered Syringa). L. June. Large

creamy white flowers, not fragrant. Strong growing.

P. Lemoinel. M. Hybrid. This is a choice and graceful variety; produces fragrant, pure white flowers in clusters in June.

P. var. Avalanche. D. This is a graceful shrub with slender, arching branches, covered almost the whole length with showy white flowers. Especially valuable.

P. Virginalis. M. Very large flowers, semi-double and fra-

grant.

PRUNUS - FLOWERING PLUM

Under this head are grouped the double-flowered Almonds, and Prunus triloba, all of which are among the very choicest of Spring blooming shrubs.

P. maritima (Beach Plum). S. April. Grows wild on Cape Cod in sand. Splendid for seashore planting. Fine oval foliage. Very pretty white flowers followed by bright crimson

P. Pissardi (Purple-leaved Plum). (See Deciduous Trees).
P. Sinensis alba plena (Dwarf White Almond). S. May.
The very double rose-like white flowers fill the branches until they bend beneath the weight of bloom. Price each: \$1.00.

P. var. rosea fl. pl. (Double Pink Almond). Similar to preceding, the flowers being rose-coloured. Price each: \$1.00.

triloba fl. pl. (Double-flowering Plum). M. May. A Chinese shrub, whose Spring beauty is difficult to equal. The large, double pink flowers resemble Roses and are crowded along the slender branches, covering them completely. Price each: \$1.00.

#### RHODOTYPUS — WHITE KERRIA

R. kerrioides. M. All Summer. An interesting, beautiful shrub from Japan. The Syringa-like flowers bloom through the season from May. Shiny black seeds in Autumn. Price: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

#### RHUS - SUMACH

R. Canadensis (aromatica) (Fragrant Sumach). M. May. A low-growing bush with handsome, thick, fragrant foliage, which colours to scarlet in Autumn. Grows on poor soil and among rocks. Yellow flowers.

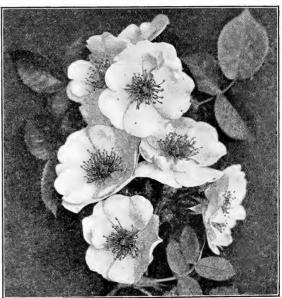
R. Cotinus (Purple Fringe or Smoke Bush). L. The large masses of misty, purplish flowers, which this bears in June, give it the name of Smoke Bush. The leaves change to varying colours in Autumn. Price each: \$1.00.

R. glabra (Smooth Sumach). L. June. Excellent , foliage, topped in Autumn with prominent crimson heads of seed. Fine Autumn colouring. Good on rocky or poor soil.

R. var. laciniata (Cut-leaved Sumach). M. A most ornamental

variety, with finely divided, fern-like leaves.

R. typhina (Stagborn Sumach). L. Grows generally in bush form to 10 feet in height; the foliage is compound, light green and of large size, and in Autumn is brilliantly coloured. A most effective plant for grouping in masses; thrives on poor soil.



Rosa Multiflora Japonica

#### ROSA - WILD ROSE

These wild or natural types are well adapted to planting in the shrub border. They bloom profusely in early Summer, and later bear showy seed pods. (See Rose Section for other varieties.)

R. multiflora Japonica. Single pure white flowers in clusters, small scarlet hips in Winter.

R. rubiginosa (Sweet Briar). Sweet scented foliage, pink flowers

and orange red fruit. R. rugosa (Japanese Rose). Leaves wrinkled, dark green above, pale beneath. Flowers single, pink or red. Fruit large, bright

red. Useful for seashore planting, for hedges, or shrub masses. R. var. alba (White Japanese Rose). Same as above, with flowers pure white.

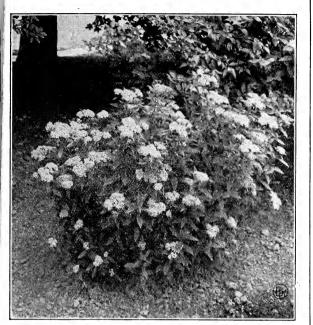
R. setigera (Prairie Rose). Long, slender, arching branches, single deep rose flowers in great profusion; bright red fruit.

RUBUS — BRAMBLE

R. odorata (Flowering Raspberry). M. All Summer. A noble plant, with leaves 6 to 12 inches broad and pink-purple blossoms 2 inches across, in clusters which continue to bloom all Summer. Very fragrant. One of the most useful plants for partially shaded places, for rustic planting, or for groups.

#### SAMBUCUS - ELDER

- S. Canadensis (Common Elder). L. June. Flat heads of flowers and reddish purple berries in Autumn. Likes damp
- S. nigra var. aurea (Golden Elder). A large, golden-leaved form. Requires the full sunlight in which case it becomes one of the best of yellow shrubs.



Spiræa Anthony Waterer

#### SPIRÆA --- MEADOWSWEET

One of the most valuable classes of hardy shrubs. The best known is, of course, S. Van Houttei, which has superseded the old-fashioned Bridal Wreath in popular favour. S. Arguta is the earliest to bloom, followed by the feathery leaved S. Thunbergii. The dwarf growing S. Anthony Waterer blooms during the Summer. S. opulifolia aurea is a tall rapid-growing form with yellow foliage.

- S. arguta. M. Closely a lied to the well-known early flowering S. Thunbergii, which it resembles. It is, however, of more elegant habit than the latter, having larger flowers borne on comparatively upright stems.
- S. callosa (Fortune's Spiraea). M. Deep rose-red flowers in close clusters, lasting nearly all Summer.
- S. Japonica Bumalda (Bumald's Spiræa). S. Grows as a low, round bush, producing numerous flat heads of rosy hue from Midsummer until Autumn.
- S. Froebeli. S. Taller than S. Ant. Waterer. Flowers bright crimson, foliage turns red in Autumn.
- S. var. Anthony Waterer. S. An improved form of the dwarf S. Bumalda. Very low growing and bearing flat heads of brilliant crimson blossoms all through the late part of the Summer.
- S. opulifolia (Nine Bark). L. June. A strong-growing shrub with white flowers along the stems.
- S. opulifolia aurea (Golden Spiræa). M. One of the best of our yellow-leaved shrubs. Golden yellow all Summer.
- S. prunifolia fl. pl. (Bridal Wreath). M. May. Strong-growing, irregular form, small, roundish, shining leaves, of beautiful Autumn colour; flowers double white, abundant in May.
- S. Reevesiana. M. Similar to S. Van Houttei. Double white flowers, fine dark green foliage.
- S. sorbifolia (Ash-leaved Spiraea). S. July. Handsome foliage resembling the Mountain Ash. Long showy panicles of white flowers. A fine variety.
- S. Thunbergii (Thunberg's Spiraea). S. April and May. Low-growing, rounded form, delicate, drooping, yellowish green, lanceolate foliage, which takes and retains late the most lovely tints in Autump. Small, abundant, white flowers in May.

S. Van Houttei (Van Houtte's Spiraa). M. June. The finest and most satisfactory of all Spiræas, either singly or among other shrubs. It forms a round and graceful bush with arching branches, which in June are set from end to end with beautiful white blossoms.

**STEPHANANDRA** 

S. flexuosa. S. An attractive shrub of low, dense growth, with deeply cut foliage which turns to brilliant red in Autumn. Flowers creamy white.

SYMPHORICARPOS — SNOWBERRY
S. racemosus (Snowberry). S. July. Bushy form, pink flowers in Summer, white waxy berries in Autumn.

S. vulgaris (Indian Currant). S. Low-growing, spreading,

graceful habit; foliage attractive; noteworthy from the beauty of its clusters of red berries.



Syringa "President Grévy"

#### SYRINGA - LILAC

Price: 90¢ each, \$8.00 for ten

Unless intended for a hedge, Lilacs should be planted far enough apart so that they can develop naturally, under which conditions they will bloom profusely from top to bottom. Especial attention should be called to the less common varieties, S. Josikæa, S. Villosa and S. Persica. The former are late blooming, the foliage being plicated and leathery, not subject to rust and mildew as is the case with the Common Lilac. The Persian Lilac is a slender growing shrub with a tendency to droop, especially when in bloom. Amongst the named bybrids many striking colours will be found.

S. Josikæa. L. May. Valued for its handsome, large, wrinkled leaves and for its late-blooming quality. Flowers are bluishpurple.

S. Persica (Persian Lilac). L. May and June. Habit more open and branches more slender and drooping than other Lilacs. Flowers light purple.

S. var. alba (White Persian Lilac). L. A pure white form of

the above. S. villosa. L. Colour varies from light pink to almost blue.

Valuable for late blooming. Out of bloom, the shrub forms a striking object on account of the dark, glossy, massive leaves. S. vulgaris (Common Lilac). L. May. Purple, fragrant

flowers, large clusters. S. var. alba (Common White Lilac).

S. alba grandiflora. Very large trusses of pure white flower s.

#### NAMED HYBRID LILACS

Price: \$1.25 each, \$11.00 for ten

S. Congo. Wine-red, very double, large trusses.

S. Charles X. Magnificent clusters of dark red flowers, produced in the greatest profusion.

S. Ludwig Spaeth. The clusters are very large and of splendid dark purple-red colour, not only as buds, but even when the blossoms are fully expanded.

S. Marie le Graye. A dwarf grower, and one of the finest white

S. Michael Buchner. Very double, pale lilac.

S. Mme. Casimir Perier. Large trusses of very double creamywhite flowers.

S. Mme. Lemoine. A grand double white variety. Vigourous habit and immense foliage.

S. President Grévy. Petals of cobalt-blue, with the centres more brilliant and the edges rosy. The buds are of a violet

#### VACCINIUM — HUCKLEBERRY

V. corymbosum. (High-bush Blueberry). M. Bears clusters of white flowers in May, followed by the edible fruit in August. Price: \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten.



Virburnum Sieboldi

#### VIBURNUM — ARROW-WOOD

Price: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten

These hardy native shrubs supply us with some of our best planting material. They will grow in partial shade, and will stand exposure to cold winds. The best known are perhaps the fapanese Snowball (V. plicatum) and the High Bush Cranberry (V. opulus), the latter bearing heavy clusters of bright red berries, somewhat resembling those of the Mountain Ash.

V. dentatum (Arrow-wood). M. June. Glossy, handsome leaves, white flowers, and fine steel-blue berries in Autumn.

V. lantana (Wayfaring Tree). M. May and June. Good size, bushy, large foliage, noteworthy for its silvery underlining; ornamental red, then black, fruit in Autumn.

V. lentago (Sheepherry). M. Flowers creamy white, very

fragrant; foliage a light, glossy green.

V. opulus (High-bush Cranberry). L. June. One of the best for general planting. The leaves are broad and elegant, and the Autumn-borne, bright scarlet berries catch the eye late into Winter.

V. var. sterile (Common Snowball). L. Filled with large pendant balls of snow-white flowers in May.

### Viburnum Cariesii

A new and valuable addition. Flowers are light pink, with a delightful fragrance. Makes a nice bushy plant and flowers freely when established.

Plants 2 to 3 feet high, \$2.50 each

V. tomentosum (Single-flowered Japanese Snowball). A vigourous shrub with spreading branches, a native of Japan. Leaves dark green with bronzy margins, broadly ovate. Flowers white, produced in flat-topped clusters, with the marginal ones sterile and radiant. Berries red, changing to bluish black.

V. var. plicatum (Japanese Snowball). A handsome shrub with showy flowers and beautiful foliage. The large globose flowerclusters are 3 to 4 inches across, and consist of sterile radiant flowers of purest white. Hardy in Massachusetts, but should be protected from piercing winds in colder sections.

V. Sieboldi. M. Leaves large, dark green and shining above, starry pubescent beneath. Flowers white, disposed in broad pyramidal clusters 3 to 4 inches across. Berries pink, changing to bluish black.

#### XANTHORRHIZA

X. apiifolia (Yellow-root, or Brookfeather). An attractive shrub, usually I to 2 feet tall, with bright yellow wood and roots. Leaves compound, consisting of about five deeply incised or lobed, bright lustrous green leaflets. Flowers brownish purple, in drooping compound racemes in early Spring.

### Annual Care of Shrubs

Aside from pruning, all shrubs should have the additional care of cultivation. There is no better practice than to accumulate compost, leaf mold and barnyard dressing during the Spring clean-up, and when the early rush is over, to spread it through the shrubbery border and fork it in. The soil under shrubs should be forked annually and enriched once every two years.

# Breck's Shrub Collections

We call particular attention to the following Shrub Collections. which have given the utmost satisfaction since their introduction. The shrubs are carefully selected for the particular purpose for which they are intended. They are strong, well-grown specimens, and when set out according to our plans, compare most favourably with plantings laid out by the leading landscape architects. These collections represent the greatest possible value for the minimum outlay where quality above all else is considered.

#### SHRUB COLLECTION A (Corner Group)

THIS assortment is intended for planting around or within the corner of a building, and consists of eleven hardy flowering shrubs as follows: I Forsythia Fortunei; 2 Hydrangea pan. grand.; 2 Spiræa Van Houttei; 3 Deutzia gracilis; 3 Spiræa Anthony Waterer. A planting plan showing arrangement is supplied. Price, eleven shrubs as above, f.o.b. Lexington, \$5.00.

#### SHRUB COLLECTION B (Entrance Group)

For planting on both sides of the house entrance the sixteen shrubs in this list give a variety of foliage and colour. Tall varieties are provided for the back, with smaller growing kinds for bordering. List: 2 Forsythia Fortunei; 2 Lonicera tatarica; 2 Spiræa Van Houttei; 6 Berberis Thunbergii; 4 Spiræa Anthony Waterer. Price: sixteen shrubs as above with planting plan showing

arrangement, f.o.b. Lexington, \$7.25.

#### BORDER PLANTING

For planting as a shrubbery border along a fence or building either or both of the above collections are well adapted. Collection A will make a border 12 to 16 feet long and 4 to 5 feet wide; Collection B will make a border 25 to 30 feet long and 4 to 5 feet wide. Collections A and B together (using two lots of A) will provide a complete foundation planting for the front of a large house. Planting plans are supplied showing various combinations.

#### "SHADY SPOT" SHRUB COLLECTION

For the shady side of a building, or under trees in situations where roots from the latter do not cause extreme dryness, the following twelve shrubs are recommended: I Ligustrum Ibota; 2 Lonicera tatarica; 2 Aralia pentaphylla; 3 Stephanandra flexuosa; 4 Berberis Thunbergii. These are chiefly foliage shrubs, suitable for the conditions specified.

Price: above twelve shrubs with planting plan, f.o.b. Lexington, \$5.00.



### HEDGES and SCREENS

Shrubs or low-growing trees may often be made to take the place of a wood or metal fence to mark a boundary or to discourage trespassing, and usually at less expense.

A wide range of choice in hedging materials is possible, and selections should be made with a view to the ultimate height and density desired. For low hedges, which are to be closely sheared, Barberry and Privet are the usual choice, spacing the plants one foot apart. For taller hedges and screens, Willows, Lilacs, and Evergreens of various sorts are frequently used, spacing them three to four feet apart. Many of the Flowering Shrubs also form most attractive hedges and borders. For a screen of extreme height and rapid growth, Lombardy Poplars are of course to be recommended.

Not less than 25 of one variety at the 100-rate

BARBERRY		L. ovalifolium (California Privet).	Per 100
Berberis Thunbergii (Japanese Barberry)	Per 100	18 to 24 in	
12 to 15 in	\$18.00	2 to 3 ft	
15 to 18 in	20.00	3 to 4 ft	15.00
18 to 24 in	30.00	WILLOW	
24 to 30 in	40.00	Salix pentandra (Laurel-leaved Willow). A rapid grow-	
PRIVET		ing shrub excellent for coarse hedging or screening.	
Ligustrum Amurense (Amur River Privet). A very		3 to 4 ft	30.00
hardy variety, similar in appearance to the well-known		4 to 5 ft	50.00
California Privet.		SPIRÆA	
18 to 24 in	15.00	Spiræa van Houttei (White Spiræa).	
2 to 3 ft		2 to 3 ft	30.00
3 to 4 ft	30.00	3 to 4 ft	
L. Ibota (Japanese Privet). An especially hardy, spread-			
ing sort. Its black berries remain through the Winter.		LILAC	
18 to 24 in	15.00	Syringa vulgaris (Common Lilac).	
2 to 3 ft	20.00	2 to 3 ft	50.00
3 to 4 ft	30.00	3 to 4 ft	6 <b>0</b> .00

### Plant HEMLOCK for HEDGES and WIND-BREAKS

The value of our native Hemlock for Hedges, Screens, and Wind-Breaks is too often overlooked. It is a clean, hardy evergreen of quick growth, and will stand almost any amount of pruning. Young plants set one foot apart and kept trimmed will form a compact evergreen hedge. Just the thing for enclosing the clothes-yard, or for a division line between suburban estates. It makes a splendid back-ground for the perennial border. As a wind-break or screen it has no equal.

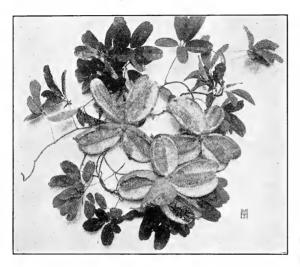
SPECIAL PRICES for ten: 24 to 30 in. \$22.00; 30 to 36 in. \$27.00; 3 to 31/2 ft. \$32.00.

### VINES and CLIMBERS

Few well planned houses are seen now-a-days without one or more of these decorative plants. They serve also in the general scheme of covering other buildings or dividing the grounds. Of course a vine or climber must have something to climb on—we furnish from our woodworking shop all manner of trellises, lattices, and screens for this purpose both in stock designs and custom built to suit special requirements. Let us submit sketches and estimates to meet your needs.

#### **ACTINIDIA**

A. arguta. A strong-growing climber from Japan. Foliage glossy green, and flowers white, with a purple centre. The fruit is edible. *Price: 2 year plants*, 75¢ each.



#### **AKEBIA**

A. quinata. May. One of the best Japanese vines, with beautiful, clover-like leaves and plum-coloured flowers. A splendid vine. Hardy. Price each: 2 year plants, 60¢; 3 year plants, 75¢, \$6.50 for 10; from 6 inch pots, 75¢.

AMPELOPSIS -- WOODBINE

A. quinquefolia (Common Woodbine or Virginia Creeper). A native vine, most vigorous in growth. Intense crimson leaves in Autumn. Excellent for wall covering. Price: 2 year plants,

A. var. Engelmanni. A variety of the above, with stronger tendril discs, that cling like an ivy to any surface. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$35.00 for 100.

A. tricuspidata, or Veitchii (Japan or Boston Ivy). Used generally below the provided to the provided tendral to the provided tendral ally, notably in Boston, to cover walls, its fine shoots extending to the roofs of tall buildings. In the Autumn the leaves assume the most gorgeous and varied tints. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$35.00 for 100; from 5 inch pots, 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

ARISTOLOCHIA -- PIPE VINE

A. sipho (Dutchman's Pipe). A vine with immense heartshaped leaves, very dense, and when well established, of most rapid growth. Its brown flowers are shaped like a pipe. Price each: \$1.50.

CELASTRUS --- BITTERSWEET

C. scandens (Roxbury Waxwork). This beautiful old shrubby climber is brilliant through Autumn and Winter, filled with its clusters of orange and crimson capsuled fruit. The leaves are glossy and fine. Good in any situation. *Price: 2 year plants*, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

**CLEMATIS** 

C. eoccinea (Scarlet Clematis). All Summer. A strong climber; light green foliage and bell-shaped, scarlet flowers, produced in

great profusion. Prices: 2 year plants, 75¢ each.

C. crispa (Crisped Leather Flower). July to September. Flowers singly on long stalks, abundant, 1½ inches long, lilac-purple,

and delightfully fragrant. Price: 2 year plants in pots, 75¢ each.
C. paniculata. The familiar White Clematis, its masses of small, fragrant flowers smothering the vine in early September. The tufts of woolly seeds which follow are equally ornamental. Grows rapidly when once established. Suitable for covering trellises, fences, walls, etc. Price: 3 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.50 for 10, \$35.00 for 100; from 5 inch pots, 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

C. Virginiana (Virgin's Bower). August. A strong climber

with dark green foliage and very pretty white flowers; the bunches of seeds have long, woolly tufts, making them very ornamental for Winter decoration. *Price: 2 year plants*, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten; from 5 inch pots, 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

Hybrid Large-Flowered Clematis Price: 2 year plants, \$1.00 each

Henryi. One of the best whites. Large, creamy white. Jackmani. A general favourite. Violet-purple and free-flowering. Mme. Edouard André. Red.

#### DOLICHOS (PUERARIA) -- KUDZU VINE

D. Japonicus. An extremely fast-growing vine, with immense leaves, and bearing small racemes of rosy purple pea-shaped flowers towards the close of August. *Price each:* 75¢.

HEDERA --- IVY

H. Helix. The well-known English Ivy; its broad, glossy, dark leaves retain their beauty all Winter if planted on the eastern and northern sides of buildings, away from the sun. It is hardy in New England. Price: 2 year plants in pots, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten; 3 year plants in pots, \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten; Larger Specimens \$3.00 to \$5.00 each.

**HUMULUS** --- HOP

H. lupulus (Common Hop-vine). July and August. Strong grower. Price: 2 year plants, 40¢ each, \$3.50 for ten.

LONICERA — HONEYSUCKLE

L. var. Halliana (Hall's Evergreen Honeysuckle). All Summer.
More generally used than any other variety. Deep green foliage, which is almost evergreen through the Winter, the fragrant yellow and white flowers blossoming from mid-summer

until frost. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each; \$4.00 for ten, \$3.00 for 100; 3 year plants, 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten, \$40.00 for 100.

L. sempervirens (Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle). This bears during the Summer clusters of scarlet, tubular flowers. Handsome foliage and fruit. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each,

\$4.00 for ten.

LYCIUM -- MATRIMONY VINE

L. Barbarum (Barbary Box Thorn). This is generally regarded as a climber, as its long, vigourous shoots push upward 8 to 10 feet, and then recurve gracefully to the ground, strung along their entire length late in the Summer with transparent, brilliant crimson berries. Good in poor soil. Price: 3 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

POLYGONUM

P. Aubertii. (Silver Lace Vine.) Strong grower, covered with a sheet of snowy white flowers. Particularly fine when allowed to ramble over trees. Price: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

TECOMA (BIGNONIA) — TRUMPET VINE

T. (or Bignonia) radicans. The scarlet Trumpet Flower. Long and handsome dark green foliage and quite showy clusters of orange and scarlet flowers during the Summer. We have not found any other varieties reliably hardy in New England. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

VITIS — ORNAMENTAL GRAPE

V. heterophylla. Strong-growing vine of fine appearance. Price: 2 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

For Edible Grapes see Fruit Section

WISTARIA

W. Chinensis (Chinese Wistaria). May and August. The most popular variety. Flowers in pale blue pendulous clusters. Price: 3 year plants, 3 to 4 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten. W. var. alba. White-flowered variety of the above. Price:

\$1.50 each.



# HARDY EVERGREENS

Nothing approaches in richness a properly arranged mass-planting of Hardy Evergreens. Many striking combinations of colour, height, and varied foliage are possible; best of all, they are as effective in Winter as in Summer. We furnish many other varieties that are worthy of use in this locality; but the following we recommend as most reliable for general planting.

#### ABBREVIATIONS:

Referring to size: L large, M medium, S small, D dwarf, VD very dwarf; referring to growth: r rapid; m medium, S slow, v vigourous.

#### ABIES - FIR

A. balsamea (Balsam Fir). Lr. Of rapid, slender pyramidal growth, with very dark foliage. Grows in cold, wet ground as well as in better soil. Price each: 3 to 4ft. \$4.00; 4 to 5ft. \$5.00.

A. concolor (Silver Fir). Lm. It is from Colorado, and grows to a height of 50 feet and more. The foliage varies exceedingly in colour from a glaucous-blue to a very light green. It is graceful and feathery, and as it grows older retains its lower limbs. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft. \$6.00; 4 to 5 ft. \$8.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$10.00.

A. Fraseri (Double Balsam). Lr. A splendid native tree, like the Balsam Fir, but with darker, richer foliage; of better growth, and of far more distinct and elegant appearance. Very hardy in New England. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$4.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$6.00; 6 to 7 ft. \$7.00; 7 to 8 ft. \$8.00.

#### JUNIPERUS — JUNIPER

J. Chinensis (Chinese Juniper). Ds. One of the most desirable of the genus; should be kept closely pruned, when its silvery young growth becomes luxuriant and leafy. Price each: 2ft. \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft. \$6.00.

Chin. var. albo-variegata (Silver-tipped Juniper). Ds. Bluish green foliage, very dense, interspersed with silvery white. One of the best of Junipers in growth and appearance. A charming dwarf plant. Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$2.50; 18 to

J. Chin. var. Pfitzeriana. Dm. A beautiful new evergreen of graceful habit, resembling in form the well-known J. Japonica aurea, though in colour the foliage is of a pleasing glaucous green. Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$3.00; 18 to 24 in. \$4.00; 24 to 30 in. \$5.00.

J. Chin. var. Sargentii (Sargent's Juniper). VDs. Beautiful prostrate form of J. Chinensis. Price each: 18 to 24 in. \$5.00.

More Evergreens are lost through lack of moisture than for any other cause. During the dry season make a "basin around the tree and fill it with water at least twice a week. J. communis var. depressa (Common Juniper). Ds. Usually a shrub with spreading, sometimes prostrate branches which curve upwards near the ends; widely distributed throughout the colder regions and mountains of the Northern Hemisphere. Foliage grayish green, very dense. A beautiful shrub and valuable in rockeries or as a ground cover. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 24 to 30 in. \$3.00

each; 30 to 36 in. \$3.50 each.

J. com. var. aurea (Douglas' Golden). VDs. Forms a mat-like spreading growth of brilliant golden colour. Valuable for edging and grouping. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$1.50 each; 15 to 18 in. \$2.00 each.

J. com. var. Hibernica (Irish Juniper). Mm. Of dense, pillar-like growth. Glaucous green foliage. Price: 18 to 24 in., \$2.00 each; \$18.00 for ten; 2 to 3 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00

J. var. Suecica compacta (Swedish Juniper). Mm. Grows much as the Irish does, but is of more bushy form. to 3 ft. \$2.50 each; \$22.00 for ten; 3 to 4 ft. \$3.50 each.

J. excelsa var. stricta. Ds. Of compact, conical habit, with steel-blue, pointed leaves which stand erect. One of the best Junipers where a formal effect is desired. *Price*: 12 to 15 in. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten;

18 to 24 in. \$3.00 each; 24 to 30 in. \$4.50 each.

J. Japonica aurea (Golden Japan Juniper). VDm. A splendid dwarf golden form. Always bright, and a feature in any

Mari golden folin. Always origin, and a rectare in any planting. Price each: 4 to 5 ft. \$10.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$15.00.

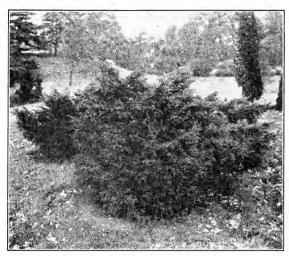
Sabina (Savin Juniper). VDs. Prostrate, spreading branches, with sombre green foliage. Hardy and well adapted to hillsides, etc. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$2.50 each, \$24.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$3.50 each, \$33.00 for ten.

Sab. var. Tamariscifolia (Tamarisk-leaved Savin). VDs. An elegant form, with broad, feathery branches and thick, glaucous, and deep green foliage. Makes a fine, broad speci-

men. Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$4.00; 18 to 24 in. \$4.50.
Sab. var. Waukegan. VDs. Prostrate form. Foliage bluish gray in Summer turning to beautiful purple in Winter.

Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$2.50; 18 to 24 in. \$3.00.

J. Sab. Virginalis Globosa. VDs. (Japanese Globe Juniper). Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$4.00; 18 to 24 in. \$5.00.



Juniperus Chinensis Pfitzeriana

- J. Virginiana (*Red Cedar*). Mm. Tapering form, bright rich green foliage. Useful for ornamental planting. *Price each*: 2 to 3 ft., \$2.50; 3 to 4 ft. \$3.00; 4 to 5 ft. \$4.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$6.00; 6 to 7 ft. \$10.00; 7 to 8 ft. \$12.00.
- J. Virg. var. glauca (Silvery Red Cedar). Mm. The foliage distinctly silver-gray. Quite prominent among other evergreens. Price each: 2½ ft. \$4.50; 3 ft. \$5.50.

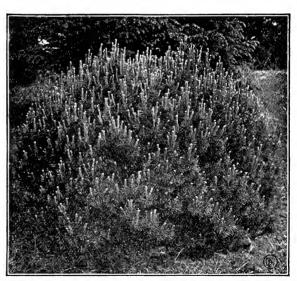
#### PICEA - SPRUCE

P. alba (White Spruce). Lm. A tree native to America. Makes a large tree when allowed to develop but may be confined by shearing. Light, silvery green foliage and dense, pyramidal growth. Hardy in all locations. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 2 to 3 ft., \$2.00 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$5.00 each; 6 to 7 ft. \$6.00 each; 7 to 8 ft. \$8.00 each.



Picea excelsa — Norway Spruce

- P. excelsa (Norway Spruce). Lr. The most generally used of evergreen trees. Useful for screens and windbreaks on account of its rapid growth. It makes a tall tree and, as an individual tree with room to develop is of pyramidal, symmetrical growth, its lower branches sweeping the ground. Price: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 5 to 6 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten; 6 to 7 ft. \$6.00 each, \$56.00 for ten; 7 to 8 ft. \$8.00 each, \$75.00 for ten; 8 to 9 ft. \$10.00 each.
- P. ex. var. Gregoryana. VDs. This forms a cushion-like growth of dense foliage. Always dwarf, peculiar and ornamental, especially on small grounds. Price each: 3 ft. spread, \$15.00; 3½ ft. spread, \$20.00.
- P. ex. var. inversa (Inverted Spruce). Mm. A Norway Spruce of persistently drooping habit, forming a columnar tree of striking appearance. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$4.00; 4 to 5 ft. \$5.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$6.00.
- P. ex. var. Maxwelli (Maxwell's Spruce). VDs. A low, dense, slow-growing form with short, stiff needles, the young branchlets showing a bluish cast. Price each: 2 to 2½ ft. spread, \$15.00.
- P. pungens (Colorado Spruce). Lr. Stiff, pungent foliage and clusters of cones. No evergreen tree can excel it, as it has the advantage of growing vigourously where many evergreens fail; withstands the coldest seasons. Price: 2 to 3 ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00; for ten; 3 to 4 ft. \$5.00 each; 4 to 5 ft. \$7.00 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$9.00 each.
- P. pun. var. glauca (Colorado Blue Spruce). Habit of growth similar to that of preceding. Foliage of a rich blue or sage-colour. Extremely hardy. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$5.00; 3 to 4 ft. \$8.00; 4 to 5 ft. \$12.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$15.00.
- P. pun. var. Kosteriana (Koster's Blue Spruce). This variety is identical with the type. Foliage silvery blue. The bluest strain that can be selected. Grafted from the famous Koster variety. Price each: 3 to 3½ ft. \$15.00; 6 to 7 ft. \$20.00; 7 to 8 ft. \$24.00; 8 to 9 ft. \$28.00; Larger Specimens, \$35.00 to \$50.00.



Pinus Mughus - Dwarf Mugho Pine

#### PINUS - PINE

- P. Austriaca (Austrian Pine). Lr. A robust-growing variety, with long, dark green stiff needles. Does well on all soils, and is one of the best evergreens for seashore planting. Price each: 5 to 6 ft. \$7.00; 6 to 7 ft. \$9.00.
- P. cembra (Swiss Stone Pine). Ss. Of thick, regular growth, foliage resembling the White Pine, and quite silvery. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$4.00; 3 to 4 ft. \$5.00.
- P. montana (Mountain Pine). Mm. A native of the Alps, of medium growth, with ascending branches and bright green foliage. Price each: 18 to 24 in. \$2.50; 24 to 30 in. \$3.50.
- P. mughus (Dwarf Mugho Pine). Ds. Of the highest value where a low, dense, spreading growth is desired. Very dark foliage and extremely hardy. Price each: 12 to 15 in. \$2.50; 15 to 18 in. \$3.00.; 18 to 24 in. \$4.00; 24 to 30 in. \$5.00.

P. resinosa (Red or Norway Pine). Lr. One of our best native evergreens; hardy and ornamental. Bark of young branches reddish-orange; long needles, dark green, glossy. Useful for screens or shelters, and for timber. Price: 5 to 6

ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 6 to 7 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten.

P. strobus (White Pine). Lr. The most valuable of all native evergreens for timber purposes. A well-grown individual tree, light, silvery foliage; is always highly ornamental. In age this Pine is most impressive. Useful for hedges, as it can be clipped like a shrub, also most valuable as a wind-break. Price: 2 to 3 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$3.50 each, \$32.00 for ten; 5 to 6 ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 6 to 7 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten; 7 to 8 ft. \$6.00 each, \$56.00 for ten. Specimens, 9 to 12 ft. \$10.00 to \$12.00

P. sylvestris (Scotch Pine). Lr. Foliage much more silvery than the Austrian. It is more desirable for mass and shelter planting than as an isolated specimen. Price each: 3 to 4 ft. \$2.50; 4 to 5 ft. \$4.00.

#### **PSEUDOTSUGA**

P. Douglasii (Douglas' Spruce). Lr. A fine, long-lived tree from the Rocky Mountains, where it grows in great quantity. The foliage is soft and brilliant green in colour, with bluish tint when young. It is of the most vigourous and symmetrical growth. Price: 2 to 3 ft. \$3.00 each, 3 to 4 ft. \$5.00 each, 4 to 5 ft. \$6.00 each.

#### RETINOSPORA — CYPRESS

R. filifera (Thread-branched Japan Cypress). Ss. Slender, string-like, bright green foliage, drooping in long filaments. Graceful and pyramidal habit. *Price each*: 2 to 3 ft. \$4.00.

R. fil. var. aurea (Golden Thread-branched Cypress). Ss. A lovely bright golden form of the preceding. Price each: 18

in. spread, \$5.00; 24 in. spread, \$6.00.
R. obtusa compacta. VDs. One of the best and hardiest. Intensely dark, shell-like leaves; very unusual. A most elegant evergreen shrub. Price each: 15 to 18 in. \$3.00.

R. pisifera. Lm. A fine, pyramidal form, very popular, distinct and graceful. Price each: 21/2 to 3 ft. \$3.00; 3 to 31/2 ft. \$4.00.

R. pisifera Aurea. A bright golden form of the preceding va-

riety. Price each: 2 ft. \$3.50; 3 ft. \$4.50; 3½ ft. \$5.00.
R. plumosa (Plumed Japan Cypress). Lr. One of the hardiest and best. Delicate glaucous foliage. Price each: 18 to 24 in. \$3.00; 24 to 30 in. \$3.50.

R. plumosa aurea. Lm. A striking, fine form of the above, and very hardy. Brilliantly golden throughout the season. One of the most desirable. *Price each*: 18 10 24 in. \$3.00;

24 to 30 in. \$3.50; 30 to 36 in. \$4.50.

R. squarrosa. Mm. An exquisite Japan form, with steelcoloured foliage, which is very fine and feathery. It displays many shades of colour during the season. Not reliably hardy in New England. Price each: 12 to 15 in. \$2.50; 15 to 18 in. \$3.00; 18 to 24 in. \$4.00; 24 to 30 in. \$5.00.

#### TAXUS -- YEW

T. baccata (European Yew). Ss. Slow-growing, with short stems and very bushy head, densely branched, thickly covered with drooping, sombre green leaves. Price: 12 to 15 in. spread, \$2.50 each; 15 to 18 in. spread, \$3.50.

T. Canadensis (American Yew). Dv. A low, weeping, broad,

spreading bush, dark green foliage and crimson berries. Entirely hardy, and very valuable for surfacing beds or forming groups. Price: 12 to 15 in. spread, \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. spread, \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. spread, \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten.

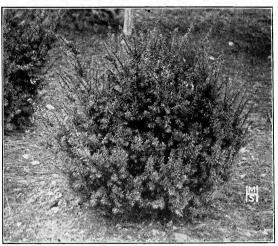
T. cuspidata (Spreading Japanese Yew). Sm. Upright growth and dense, very dark foliage. Valuable because it is especially hardy and rich in appearance. Price each: 15 to 18

in. \$3.00; 18 to 24 in. \$4.50. T. cusp. var. brevifolia (Japanese Yew). Ds. A very handsome form of the above and hardier. We consider it the best variety to plant in New England. Price each: 10 to 12 in. spread, \$3.00; 12 to 15 in. spread, \$3.50; 15 to 18 in. spread, \$4.25; 18 to 24 in. spread, \$6.00.

T. cusp. var. capitata (Upright Japanese Yew). Ms. Upright form of the preceding. Price each: 2 to 21/2 ft. \$5.00; 21/2 to

3 ft. \$8.00.

THUJA — ARBORVITÆ T. occidentalis (American Arborvitæ). Mr. Of conical form and rapid growth. Used largely for hedges. Price: 15 to 18 in.



Taxus Cuspidata — Spreading Japanese Yew

\$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 2 ft. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 3 ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 4 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 5 ft. \$5.00 each; 6 ft. \$7.00 each; 7 ft. \$9.00 each; 8 ft. \$10.00 each.

T. var. George Peabody. Mr. var. George Peabody. Mr. A dwarf, dense-growing golden variety, holding its colour all Summer. One of the best for

general culture. Price: \$2.00 each.

var. globosa (Globe Arborvitæ). VDs. Growing in low, thick, globe form with attractive foliage. Very distinct. Price: 12 to 15 in. diameter, \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. diam. \$2.50 each.

T. var. Hoveyii (Hovey's Arborvitæ). Ds. A slow-growing form, with golden green foliage. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in.

\$3.00 each.

T. var. pyramidalis (Pyramidal Arborvitæ). Mr. Its form is very much like the Irish Juniper. The foliage is light green and compact. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten. 2 to 2½ ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 3 ft. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 3½ ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 4 ft. \$5.50 each, \$50.00 for ten; 4½ ft. \$6.00 each, \$50.00 for ten; 5 ft. \$7.00 each; 6 ft. \$7.50 each.

T. pyramidalis Douglasii (Douglas Pyramidal Arborvitæ). Its foliage is feathern compenhat created and of a good dark green

foliage is feathery, somewhat crested and of a good dark green colour. In habit the tree resembles the well-known Pyramidal Arborvitæ. It will grow about 12 to 15 feet in height. Price: 2 to 2½ ft. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 2½ to 3 feet, \$3.00 each; \$27.00 for ten; 3½ ft. \$4.00 each.

T. var. Sibirica syn. Wareana (Siberian Arborvitæ.) Mr. We especially recommend this variety. Its low-growing, dense form and its beautiful bluish-green foliage give it distinct character. It is one of the hardiest and does not die out in hedges like the American. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$3.00 each; 2 to 21/2 ft. \$3.50 each; 3 to 4 ft. \$5.00 each.

T. var. Vervaeneana. Sm. A fine, hardy variety in which the green is singularly intermixed with a predominating shade of golden yellow. Price each: 2 to 3 ft. \$3.00; 3 to 4 ft. \$4.00.

T. orientalis (syn. Biota orientalis). A Chinese Arborvitæ, conical in shape, bright green. Its foliage is narrow, on radial fan-shaped branches which is its notable characteristic. Price each: 4 to 5 ft. \$5.00; 5 to 6 ft. \$7.00.

#### TSUGA — HEMLOCK

T. Canadensis (Hemlock Spruce). Lr. A graceful tree, with loose, open growth, and Yew-like foliage. It can be kept in dense form if pruned. Prefers moist soil. Much used for hedges and shelters. Price: 24 to 30 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.50 for ten; 30 to 36 in. \$3.50 each, \$32.00 for ten; 3 to 3½ ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 3½ to 4 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$7.00 each; 5 to 6 ft. \$9.00 each; 6 to 7 ft. \$11.00 each; 7 to 8 ft. \$14.00 each.

T. var. Sieboldii (Japanese Hemlock). Lr. A very handsome graceful tree with glossy, dark-green foliage striped white underneath, and larger than the common Hemlock. Price each:

2 to 21/2 ft. \$4.00; 21/2 to 3 ft. \$5.50; 3 to 4 ft. \$6.50.



# EVERGREEN SHRUBS

A. amona (Lovely Azalea). S. From China. A dwarf, bushy shrub, foliage turning to a bronze-brown in Winter. Covered entirely in May with enveloping masses of rich, purplish-red, double flowers. Requires protection here. *Price each*: 12 to 15 in. spread, \$2.50; 15 to 18 in. spread, \$3.00.

#### BERBERIS --- BARBERRY

B. aquifolia, or Mahonia aquifolia (Ashberry). D. May. Its large, spiny leaves, which turn scarlet in Autumn, are much like those of the famous English Holly, and its bright yellow flowers in May are effective. Good in shady spots. Price: 12 to 15 in. 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten.

CALLUNA — HEATHER
C. vulgaris (Scotch Heather). A low-growing evergreen with pale pink flowers. Price: 4 to 6 in. 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten; 6 to 8 in. 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten; 8 to 10 in. 75¢ each, \$7.00 for ten.

#### DAPHNE -- GARLAND FLOWER

D. Cneorum. An evergreen, hardy plant, with closely set, glossy, narrow leaves. It begins to bloom in May, and its round clusters of bright pink, highly fragrant blossoms, much resembling the beautiful Mayflower of our woods, are borne in great profusion. Price: 8 to 10 in. \$1.00 each.

#### **EUONYMUS**

E. radicans (Creeping Euonymus). VD. A glossy, dark leaved vine; or it will form a spreading shrub where it cannot climb. Valuable for covering walls to which it clings. Price: 2 year plants, 35¢ each, \$3.00 for ten; \$25.00 for 100; 3 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$30.00 for Ioo. E. var. minima (Kewensis). Small dark-leaved form, suitable

for rock-garden or ground cover. Price in 3 inch pots: 50¢

each, \$4.00 for ten, \$35.00 for 100.

E. var. vegeta. A variety that is much sought after by all who have seen it. In habit, it is more spreading than the type and of more rapid growth. Leaves broad, nearly round, and of a rich glossy green. Price: 2 year plants, 35¢ each, \$3.00 for ten, \$25.00 for 100; 3 year plants, 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, \$35.00 for 100.

#### KALMIA -- LAUREL

K. latifolia (Mountain Laurel). June. A native evergreen shrub hardy in New England. It prefers deep, leaf-mould soil, but grows wherever it will not dry out in Summer. The beautiful pink and white flowers are of unique shape and aspect, borne in large clusters over broad, glossy foliage. Not \$15.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$2.50 each; 24 to 30 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 30 to 36 in. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten. Carload lots of native-grown clumps can be supplied, prices on application.

L. Catesbæi (Andromeda Catesbæi). S. May. Foliage thick, heavy and pointed. A shining green in Summer, the branches arching gracefully. The showy spikes of white flowers open early. Can be used in shaded spots. Price: 15 to 18 in. \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten; 18 to 24 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.50 for ten; 24 to 30 in. extra strong, \$3.50 each.

PACHYSANDRA

P. terminalis (Japanese Spurge). A low dense evergreen plant with glossy foliage, forming large mats, well adapted for covering the ground, especially in moist or shaded situations. Flowers white, disposed in small terminal spikes in mid-Spring. Price in 3 inch pots: 30¢ each, \$2.50 for ten, \$18.00 for 100. PIERIS

P. floribunda (Lily of the Valley Shrub). Flowers in large white panicles over a dense, dark mass of evergreen foliage. Buds are formed in the Autumn. Price: 12 to 15 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 15 to 18 in. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten.

NATIVE RHODODENDRONS

We strongly recommend the use of our native Rhododendrons. They are hardy, free flowering, and will survive our vigourous New England winters with much less loss than hybrid sorts heretofore so largely imported. We can fill orders for any quantity of any size in bushy, well furnished plants. Favourable quotations can be made on carload lots delivered to any point in New England.

Rhododendron Carolinianum. A native of the high altitudes of the Southern Appalachian region, and one of the finest of all broad-leaved evergreens. Of compact habit, growing from three to five feet tall, and about the same in diameter; foliage glossy, dark green, flowers pale rose to deep pink. *Price in* 

bushy clumps: 15 to 18 in. \$2.50 each; 18 to 24 in. \$3.50 each. Rhododendron Catawbiense. This is also a native of the Allegheny Mountains, and is extremely hardy in New England. The plant forms a compact well-shaped clump, growing from four to six feet in height. The rich green foliage and large trusses of pink to bright red flowers make it one of the most desirable broad-leaved evergreens. Price, bushy specimens: 18 to 24 in. \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten; 2 to 2½ ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 2½ to 3 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten; 3 to 4 ft. \$6.00 each, \$55.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$7.50 each, \$65.00 for ten.

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Rhododendron Maximum. This is the largest-growing of attention of the largest specimens. The our native sorts, and is used extensively for massing. flowers are rosy-white to pure white, and appear later. in clumps: 18 to 24 in. \$3.00 each, \$27.00 for ten; 2 to 2½ ft. \$4.00 each, \$36.00 for ten; 2½ to 3 ft. \$5.00 each, \$45.00 for ten; 3 to 4 ft. \$6.00 each, \$55.00 for ten; 4 to 5 ft. \$7.00 each, \$65.00 for ten; 5 to 6 ft. \$9.00 each, \$80.00 for ten. Larger specimens,

\$10.00 to \$25.00 each. HYBRID RHODODENDRONS: Price each: 18 to 24 in. \$5.00;

24 to 30 in. \$6.00.

# FRUIT TREES & SMALL FRUITS

Few home grounds are so small that place cannot be found for a fruit tree or bush to provide the family with fresh, thoroughly-ripened fruit which has not been deprived of its rich flavour by too early picking and a long journey to market. Our fruit stock is practically all New England grown, rugged and healthy; careful grading and handling ensure to the customer a favourable beginning for the fruit plantation.

The growing of fruit trees in New England is dropping off to an alarming extent. We are today consuming fruit from trees planted by previous generations and these trees are dying out for the lack of care and from old age. If our children are to enjoy the fruits as we enjoy them, these trees must be replaced. It is almost a duty for us now to plant fruit trees, because they take some time to come to maturity and bearing.

Unlike many other utilitarian objects fruit trees are also decorative. A well-cared-for apple or pear tree is as beautiful an object as most of the trees that are planted for their beauty alone. Our ancestors planted fruit trees in the grounds about their houses, a practice which might well be resumed by the present generation.

The ground in which fruit trees are planted should be drained in such a way as to avoid stagnant moisture, which is inimical to the best growth of newly planted trees, and the ground should be as well prepared as for crops of corn, potatoes, and the like. Before planting the trees, see that all broken roots are properly pruned, and in the case of Standard Trees, which run from 5 to 7 feet in height, have all of the top branches pruned back to within three or four buds at the base of the shoot, thus lessening the strain upon the roots, and giving the remaining buds an opportunity for more vigourous growth. Larger trees may be shortened to a lesser degree; and where there are small twiggy growths, these should be cut out entirely. In all cases have the holes dug sufficiently large to allow the roots of trees to be straight and natural, and with the tree held in an upright position, have the finest and best soil carefully worked in among the roots so that the latter may be in close contact with the soil. This important precaution will save the loss of many trees.

#### DISTANCE BETWEEN FRUIT TREES or BUSHES

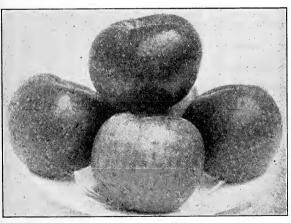
Standard Apples: 30 to 40 feet apart each way. In poor soils 25 feet may be enough. Dwarf: 6 to 15 feet apart. Standard Pears and Cherries: 20 feet apart each way. Cherries will do at 18 feet. Dwarf Pears: 10 to 12 feet apart each way. The greater distance is better.

Standard Plums, Peaches: 16 to 18 feet apart each way.

Quinces: 10 to 12 feet apart each way.

Currants, Gooseberries and Raspberries: 3 to 4 feet apart.

Blackberries: 6 to 7 feet apart.



**Baldwin Apples** 

### Insuring the Crop of Fruit

To plant fruit trees and then neglect them is the height of folly. Proper spraying at the right time is essential to successful fruit growing. While the trees are dormant, spray thoroughly for scale and leaf blister with Commercial Lime Sulphur solution, one pint to each gallon of water. When the blooms begin to show colour and before they open spray the solution of the solution of the solution. the blooms begin to show colour and before they open spray thoroughly with the following mixture: To each gallon of water, add one gill of Lime Sulphur, one teaspoonful of "Black Leaf 40," and two teaspoonfuls of Corona Dry Arsenate of Lead. The third and most important spraying takes place just as the last flower petals are falling. The same spray is used with the exception that if no aphis is present, the "Black Leaf 40" may be eliminated.

#### APPLES

The following list of Apples embraces varieties which have been tested, and can be recommended as the very best for general cultivation. All Apples are furnished in Standard sizes unless Dwarf trees are specified.

Varieties marked 🕻 supplied also in Dwarf trees at the same

price.

Prices except as noted: 2 year trees, 5 to 7 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten, \$90.00 for 100; Extra size 3 years and older \$3.00; varieties and prices on application.

#### SUMMER

Early Harvest. Moderate growth, medium to large; yellow, tender, rather acid. Ripens in August.

Golden Sweet. Free growth, large, yellow, tender, sweet, rich.

Ripens in August and September.

Red Astrachan. Free growth, large, roundish, deep crimson, juicy, rather acid, very hardy; highly esteemed on account of its fine appearance, earliness, and hardiness. Ripens in

Williams' Favourite. Moderate growth, large, oblong, red,

rich, excellent. Ripens in August.

Yellow Transparent. A very early apple; very hardy and a good grower, skin a beautiful pale yellow, the fruit a good size. Ripens early in August.

#### AUTUMN

Alexander. Very large fruit with beautifully striped red skin, flesh white, crisp, tender, and juicy. Tree is a vigourous grower and heavy cropper. September to December.

Duchess of Oldenburg. Vigourous growth, large, striped, tender, juicy, regular and abundant bearer. One of the hardiest

der, juicy, regular and abundant bearer. One of the hardiest kinds known. Ripens in September.

Fameuse or Snow. Vigourous growth, medium, deep crimson, tender, subacid, melting, delicious, hardy. One of the best dessert Apples. Ripens November to January.

Gravenstein. Vigourous growth, very large, striped, juicy, tender, crisp, rich, subacid. Ripens September and October.

Maiden's Blush. Free growth, large, yellow and red, tender, juicy, subacid. Ripens September and October.

Primin. Free growth, very large, yellow tender, rich. Ripens

Pippin. Free growth, very large, yellow, tender, rich. Ripens October to December.

Porter. Moderate growth, medium to large, yellow, fine grained. Ripens in September.

Baldwin. Vigorous growth, large, bright red, crisp, juicy; the most popular and profitable market sort in the East. Ripens December to March.

Delicious. Fruit large with brilliant dark red skin, flesh fine grained, crisp and juicy; of very high quality, a splendid keeper and constant bearer. November to April.

WINTER APPLES - Continued

Hubbardston. Free growth, large, striped red and yellow, ten-

der, juicy, rich. Ripens November to January.

Jonathan. Medium growth, red and yellow, tender, juicy, and rich. Very productive. One of the best for table or market.

Kendrick's Sweet (Sweet Winesap). Fruit medium, colour red splashed with crimson. Flesh tender, juicy, and sweet. Ripens November to May.

King. Vigourous growth, large, red-striped, tender, juicy, vinous. Ripens November to January.

McIntosh Red. One of the best of the Autumn varieties.

Skin dark waxy red; flesh white, crisp, and spicy. October to

Northern Spy. Vigourous growth, large, striped red, tender, juicy; a fine dessert fruit. Ripens December to June. Rhode Island Greening. Vigourous growth, large, green, fine

grained. Ripens December to April.

Roxbury Russet. Free growth, medium, greenish, late keeper. Ripens December to June.

Spitzenburg. Large, round, brilliant red, with gray dots, firm, rich, crisp, juicy, and delicious. Tree rather a slow grower, but with high culture becomes large and spreading; a good bearer. Ripens December to April.

Tolman's Sweet. Free growth, medium, yellow, firm, rich, weet. Ripens November to April.

Wagener. Vigourous growth, medium to large, yellow and

crimson, juicy: Ripens December to March.

Wealthy. Free growth, medium, dark red, juicy. Ripens December to February.

Winesap. Moderate growth, large, deep red, firm. Ripens December to May.
Winter Banana. Fruit large, clear pale yellow, with pink

blush. Ripens November to April.

#### CRAB APPLES

The Crab Apple has many points of excellence; it makes a fine ornamental tree, is perfectly hardy, and will grow in any kind of soil. It bears very early and every year. The fruit is unequalled for jelly and for vinegar, and is useful when dried, canned, or preserved. Price: \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten

Hyslop. Large size, dark crimson with bloom, very showy and the most beautiful of all the class. Hardy.

Transcendent. Of the largest size of this class, red, showy, excellent, handsome; one of the most desirable.

#### CHERRIES

Cherries do well on dry soil and can be trained in any form required. Price: 6 to 7 ft. \$1.50 each

### HEARTS and BIGARREAUS

Black Tartarian. Vigourous growth, very large; purplish black; one of the best. Ripens end of June.

Governor Wood. Vigourous growth, medium, clear light red, tender and delicious. Ripens end of June.

Napoleon. Vigourous growth, very large, pale yellow with red

cheek, firm, juicy, and sweet. Ripens first of July.

Schmidt's Bigarreau. One of the best sweet cherries. Fruit is very large, deep black; flesh dark and tender, very juicy. July.

Windsor. Vigourous growth, large, liver-coloured, very firm; a valuable variety, hardy. Ripens end of July.

Yellow Spanish. Vigourous growth, large, pale yellow, with red cheek, firm, juicy, and delicious. Ripens end of June.

#### **DUKES and MORELLOS**

Early Richmond. Medium size, dark red, juicy, rich acid flavour. The stone adheres to the stem. One of the most valuable of sour Cherries.

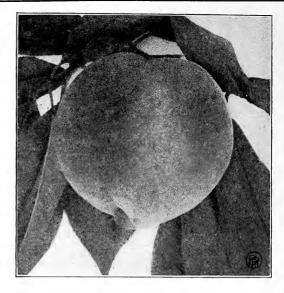
Montmorency. A Cherry of the Richmond class, but larger, more solid, and more upright; equally hardy and a heavy cropper. Ripens from seven to ten days later than the Richmond, entirely escaping danger from Spring frost.

Morello (English). Large, dark red nearly black, tender, juicy,

subacid; valuable for preserves; tree small, slender growth; productive.

### The Spraying of Peach Trees

While the trees are dormant, spray for scale with Commercial Lime Sulphur, one pint to each gallon of water. After blooming, when the tiny fruits begin to show, spray with a weak solution of Corona Arsenate of Lead (two level teaspoonfuls to each gallon of water). In ten days repeat this spraying.



Fitzgerald Peach

#### PEACHES

The following varieties have been selected out of hundreds, the better ones only being chosen. They furnish a succession for about two months commencing the early part of August.

Prices: 5 to 6 ft. \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten

Belle of Georgia. Very large, skin white with red cheek; flesh white, of fine flavour. Ripens with the Crawford's Early. Carman. A new, hardy, rot-proof Peach. Large, round, pale

yellow skin and red blush on sunny side; white flesh, sweet flavour.

Champion. Handsome creamy white with red cheek. It is of large size and of superior flavour. Ripens about August first, and has shown that it bears a full crop when others fail. Considered a great improvement over other white sorts.

Crawford's Early. Very large, yellow, juicy, melting, freestone. Ripens early September.

Crawford's Late. Very large, yellow, juicy, freestone. Ripens end of September.

Elberta. An exceedingly large, light-coloured yellow Peach; juicy, well-flavoured. Ripens early in August.

Fitzgerald. Fruit medium to large, round, yellow flesh. It is yellowish-green with red cheek. Ripens early September. yellowish-green with red cheek. Ripens early September. Foster. Large, resembling Crawford's Early, but of better

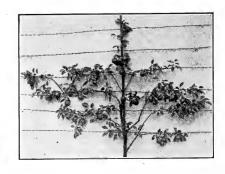
quality. Ripens early September. Greensboro. A hardy, early peach ripening the latter part of July. Flesh white covered on one side with light and dark

red, shaded with yellow. J. H. Hale. No better peach has ever been introduced. It is larger than the *Elberta*, and ripens about a week earlier. Flesh is golden-yellow with deep scarlet blush.

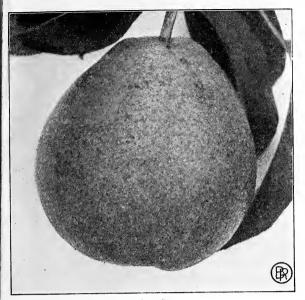
Mountain Rose. Large, white and red, juicy. Ripens end of August.

Oldmixon Free. Large; greenish white and red; juicy and rich. Ripens middle of September.

Rochester. A yellow freestone variety ripening about August 10. Fruit is large, sweet and of delicious flavour. Skin blush. Strong grower and hardy.



This Dwarf Seckel Pear Tree was photographed Sept. 25, 1923. It was planted in April, 1919. It bore a crop of ten pears in 1922, the third year from planting. The tree is 45 inches high.



Sheldon Pear

#### PEARS

Price except as noted: 5 to 7 ft. \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten. The varieties marked 😯 can be supplied also in Dwarf trees budded on Quince stocks at the same price.

SÚMMER

Bartlett. Vigourous growth, large, yellow and red, juicy, buttery, with a rich, musky flavour. Ripens September. Clapp's Favourite. Vigourous growth, very large and handsome, yellow and crimson, melting, buttery. Ripens

Wilder. This Pear ripens in August and is a liberal cropper, bearing fruit shortly after transplanting. Skin bright yellow, flesh rich creamy colour and virtually coreless. Very juicy and delicious in flavour.

**AUTUMN** 

Beurre Bosc. Moderate growth, large, russet, buttery, rich, high-flavoured. Ripens September and October. *Price:* \$2.00 each.

Flemish Beauty. Vigourous growth, large, yellow and russet, juicy, melting, sweet. Ripens September and October.

Louise Bonne de Jersey. Vigourous growth, large, yellow

and red. Ripens September and October.

Seckel. Moderate growth, medium, brown, juicy, of the highest flavour. Ripens September and October.

Sheldon. Vigourous growth, large, russet and red. Ripens October.

Vermont Beauty. A very brilliant-coloured skin and most beautiful when ripened. It matures a little later than the Seckel, and has qualities which render it valuable as a shipping Pear. Flesh rich, aromatic, and juicy. The tree is strong in habit and is well adapted to the coldest climates.

Beurre d'Anjou. Vigourous growth, very large, greenish yellow, keeps into mid-Winter, and is the most valuable of all Winter Pears. Ripens November and December.

Lawrence. Moderate growth, medium to large, golden yellow; a valuable Winter Pear. Ripens November and December.

### QUINCES

Price: 4 to 5 ft. \$1.50 each
Apple, or Orange. Large, roundish, bright golden yellow;

very productive. A vigourous and productive variety. Ripens

Champion. very late.

Meech's Prolific. Remarkable for its early and regular bearing, and for productiveness - will bear when two or three years old. Fruit pear-shaped and of high quality.

Rea's Mammoth. A very large and fine variety of the Orange Quince.

#### PLUMS

Price, 5 to 7 ft. \$1.75 each, \$15.00 for ten; Extra size, \$2.00 each EUROPEAN TYPE

Lombard. Vigourous and very productive. Fruit large, oval, dark purplish-red; flesh yellow and sweet. Ripens August and September.

Reine Claude (Bavay's Green Gage). Round; greenish-yellow; juicy, melting, sugary, rich; separates from the stone; tree very vigourous and remarkably productive. A valuable market Plum. Ripens last of September.

Shropshire Damson. Medium, dark purple, very productive; one of the best for preserving. Tree not a rapid grower. Rip-

ens October.

Yellow Egg. A very large and beautiful egg-shaped Plum; a little coarse, but excellent for cooking; tree a free grower, very productive and hardy. Ripens August.

JAPANESE TYPE

Abundance. Skin beautiful lemon-yellow ground, nearly overspread with bright cherry, and with a heavy bloom; large to very large, oblong, tapering to a point; flesh orange-yellow, melting, rich, and highly perfumed; abundant and annual bearer; tree a very vigourous, upright grower. Has been thoroughly tested, and is highly recommended. Ripens August.

Burbank. Large and beautiful, clear cherry red, with a thin lilac bloom; flesh a deep yellow, very sweet, with a peculiar and very agreeable flavour. The tree is a vigourous grower, with large broad leaves; usually begins to bear the second year after

transplanting. Ripens end of August.

Red June. An early-ripening Japanese Plum; medium to large; roundish, conical; purplish-red; handsome; flesh yellow; quality good. Ripens first of September.

Satsuma (Blood). Large, globular, with sharp point. Colour

purple and red, with bloom; flesh firm, juicy, dark red, or blood-colour, fine quality; pit very small. Ripens August. Wickson. Originated by Burbank. A sturdy, upright grower;

fruit remarkably handsome, deep maroon-red, covered with white bloom; stone small; flesh fine texture, firm, sugary and delicious; excellent keeper and shipper; will keep two weeks after ripening.

### CURRANTS

A popular and profitable crop in a variety of soils. Its principal insect enemy, the currant worm, is easily kept in check by the liberal use of hellebore, applied immediately upon the first appearance of the worm. Plant 4 feet or more apart.

Prices except as noted: 25¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$20.00 for 100 Cherry. Fruit of the largest size; deep red, rather acid; short

bunches; growth strong, stout, erect; short-jointed shoots.

Fay's Prolific. This Currant has been widely planted and has given general satisfaction, and is the best red Currant known. Fruit very large, bright red and of excellent flavour; less acid than the Cherry variety. It has a long stem which admits of rapid picking, and is enormously productive.

Perfection. The largest Currant in existence. Price: 35¢ each,

\$3.00 for ten.

### GOOSEBERRIES

Price: 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten

Downing. Whitish green; vigourous and prolific; juicy and good. A fine reliable berry for general culture.

Pearl. The most prolific Gooseberry known. One bush pro-

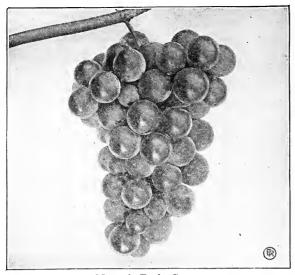
duced 2,500 berries. It is free from mildew and is much larger than the *Downing*. The colour is light green.

Red Jacket. A pure native American variety, rivaling the English varieties in size, and absolutely free from mildew. Fruit large and smooth, rich ruby-red in colour, and of fine flavour. A most valuable variety.

# Caco-the New Grape

Highest in quality, most beautiful of all hardy grapes. Large red berries, covered with a white The strongest grower of all the hardy bloom. varieties.

Price: heavy 2 year vines, \$1.50 each



Moore's Early Grape

### HARDY NATIVE GRAPES

Price, strong 2-year vines, 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten, \$40.00 for 100

Concord. Bunch and berries large, round, black, thickly covered with a beautiful bloom; flesh moderately juicy, sweet pulp; quite tender when fully ripe.

Moore's Early. Bunch and berry large, with a blue bloom; quality better than Concord; its size and earliness render it

most desirable.

Worden. Bunches large, handsome; berries large, sweet. Ten days earlier than the *Concord* and superior to it in flavour; ripens well in cold localities.

#### RED and REDDISH PURPLE

Agawam (Rogers' No. 15). Large, tender, juicy, vinous; vine vigourous.

Brighton. Large, handsome, and of the best quality; ripens early.

Delaware. Medium or small, but delicious; highly esteemed. Salem (Rogers' No. 53). One of the best and most popular; ripens with the Concord.

#### WHITE

Moore's Diamond. Bunch large and compact; berry about the size of *Concord*; colour greenish white, with a yellow tinge when fully ripe; flesh juicy and almost without pulp; quality very good; early, vine vigourous and productive.

Niagara. Bunch medium to large; berry large; skin thin but tough; slightly pulpy, tender, sweet; vine vigourous, healthy, and very productive; ripens with Concord. All things considered, it is probably the most valuable White Grape in cultivation.

#### BLACKBERRIES

The ideal crop for obtaining money returns from poor lands. Yet the cultivation of the vines should not be neglected, and liberal fertilizing should be accorded. Mulching is of great advantage, especially in poor soils. Plant in rows 6 feet apart, the plants 3 feet apart in the rows. Trim with a view to obtaining a crop of excellent berries from a few strong shoots to a plant rather than from many weak ones. Price: \$1.50 for ten, \$8.00 for 100

Blowers. Large round berries, very firm.

Eldorado. This splendid variety is, perhaps, the best ever produced. It stands when other varieties are Winter-killed, and has never failed to produce enormous crops of its very large jet-black fruit, which is sweet and melting and keeps well after picking.

Rathbun. The fruit is borne in clusters and is easily gathered; berries very large, colour intense black, with a high polish; pits very large, with small seeds; flesh juicy, high-flavoured,

sweet, and delicious.

Snyder. A marvel for productiveness; fruit medium size, sweet and melting to the core. The plant is extremely hardy.

### RASPBERRIES

Price except as noted: \$1.50 for ten, \$8.00 for 100.

Columbian. A new variety of great promise. It is a very vigourous grower and very hardy. Fruit purple and delicious for table or canning; an excellent shipping variety. Price: \$1.75 for ten, \$10.00 for 100.

Cuthbert. Large, dark crimson berries of firm texture; sprightly acid and of excellent quality; a certain cropper, always to be recommended.

Erskine Park. This new Everbearing red raspberry is described by the U.S. Department of Agriculture as surpassing all other late-bearing sorts. The plants are very hardy; fruit large and firm.

Golden Queen. Large, yellow fruit of highest quality and best size; hardy and productive; fine either for home use or for shipping purposes.

June. Red; two weeks earlier than Cuthbert.

La France. A superior new giant everbearing variety. Large juicy red fruit. Heavy bearer, very hardy. Price: \$5.00 for ten, \$40.00 for 100.

Plum Farmer. Large, black; vigourous grower.

### STRAWBERRIES

For best growth Strawberries require light fibrous or sandy loam, well enriched, with plentiful moisture during the hearing season. The plants should be set 12 to 15 inches apart, in rows 2½ to 3 feet apart. They should be kept free from weeds, and mulched with straw or litter in Winter. Fruit is borne the year after planting. Varieties in the following list are perfect flowering and may be planted without a mixture of other varieties for fertilizing purposes. Price for Layer plants for Spring planting: 50¢ for ten, \$2.00 for 100, \$18.00 for 1000

Pot-grown plants furnished for planting in August and September. Arabine. Extra early. Extra large, almost rust proof.

Brandywine. Midseason. Large, heart-shaped. cropper.

Commonwealth. Late. Large, conical, deep crimson fruit. One of the best late varieties.

Early Ozark. Extra early. Produces large, dark red berries; very delicious.

Excelsior. Early. Fruit is of round conical form, dark red

colour, and mildly acid.

Glen Mary. Late. Exceptionally valuable in New England. Howard XVII. Midseason. About the size and style of Marshall.

Marshall. Midseason. Enormous in size, a glossy dark crimson colour, and of delicious flavour.

McAlpin. Midseason. Beautiful scarlet colour, very large

and fine flavour.

New York. Midseason. Berries are large, of conical form, dark red, fine texture and sweet flavour.

Nick Ohmer. Late. Produces dark glossy red, round berries of superior flavour. Excellent for forcing.

Roosevelt. Midseason. Larger berries than Marshall; ex-

cellent flavour. Senator Dunlap. Early midseason. Dark red berries of medium size. The flesh is red all through, and exceedingly

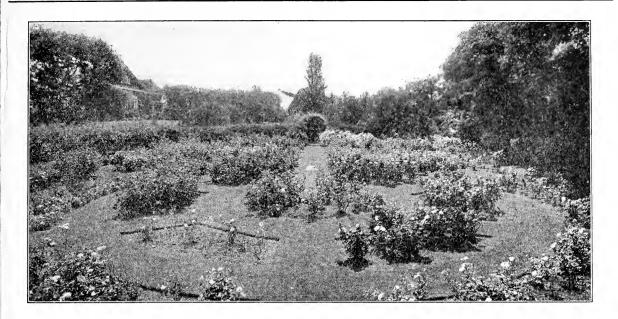
William Belt. Late. Of large size and good quality. A continuous cropper. Deep red, following Marshall.

#### FALL or EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

Price for Layer plants for Spring planting: 75¢ for ten. \$3.00 for 100. Pot-grown plants supplied for midsummer planting.

Progressive. This variety makes a vigourous growth, and produces immense quantities of berries. Blossoms should be kept picked off until about the middle of July. If this is done, a heavy crop can be obtained from about the first of August until heavy frost. The berries are of medium size and excellent quality.

Superb. The berries of this excellent variety are a little later than those of Progressive. The plants are about equal in vigour of growth, but do not produce so many berries per plant as Progressive. The quality, however, is excellent.



### ROSES OUT-OF-DOORS

Rose growing is becoming more and more popular with flower-lovers, especially since the introduction of so many new varieties suitable for out-of-door culture in our rigourous climate. The best of the new, together with many of the old favourites, are included in the following list. The varieties are grouped according to the uses for which they are best fitted. Every sunny corner of the home grounds may well be occupied by some type of Rose.

### Directions for Planting and Care

Planting: Roses are generally planted in early Spring, though Planting: Roses are generally planted in early spring, though good results follow planting in October or early November. Potted plants may be set out at any time during the Spring or Summer months. Rich soil is necessary for success with Roses. Dig the bed deep, and fill with plenty of well-rotted manure. Set the plants 2½ feet apart, and bury the collar or bud (B, see cut) about three inches below

the surface of the ground (A). Spread the roots and work the soil in amongst them, finally treading firmly. frequently in dry seasons and keep the

surface of the bed well cultivated.

Pruning: New plants should be cut back to within six inches of the ground. Old plants should be pruned in March onehalf to two-thirds of the previous season's growth and all dead wood should be removed. Do not allow shoots from below the crown (B) to develop and sap the vitality of the plant.

Protection: In our climate, Roses do best when given Winter protection. Hill them up with earth to a depth of six inches or more and cover the bed with strawy manure secured from blowing away by boards or evergreen branches. In Spring rake off the coarse manure and

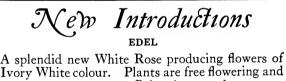
spade in the remaining fine litter. Tree Roses must be tied up in straw, or removed to a cool cellar during the cold weather.

Insects: The most common pests are aphids or lice, and green

and black flies. A good general remedy is "Black Leaf 40" a spray containing nicotine. Since this acts upon the bodies of the insects by contact, it must be so applied as actually to hit them. Rose-bugs (beetles) must be picked or shaken from the plants, or poisoned with arsenate of lead.

Diseases: For mildew, dust the leaves with powdered sulphur. For "Black Spot" Hammond's Copper Solution is recommended beginning early in June and spraying every week during July

and August.



very strong growers. Price: \$1.50 each SOUVENIR de CLAUDIUS PERNET

This is the best yellow rose yet produced. Its colour is a lovely sunflower-yellow deepening in the centre, and it retains its colour. As with nearly all Yellow Roses it should be sprayed for 'Black Spot." Price: \$2.00 each

# Mary Wallace

The New Climbing Rose

Produced by the late Dr. van Fleet this variety was offered to the public in 1924 for the first time.

Only a few plants are available.

Pillar rose type. Makes a fine strong growth six to eight feet high, with large glossy foliage. Blooms freely in the Spring and has a considerable number of flowers during the Summer and Autumn. Flowers semi-double, clear rose-pink with salmon base, generally exceeding four inches in diameter.

Price: strong field-grown dormant plants, \$2.00 each



British Queen

# GARDEN ROSES

The Roses suitable for cut-flower purposes are grouped under this head, and include most of the Hybrids best adapted to garden culture. The two principal classes are the Hybrid Perpetuals and Hybrid Teas. The former are strong-growing, bearing large full blooms on the ends of the new shoots, and having usually but one blooming period, in June. They are somewhat hardier than the Hybrid Tea varieties. The latter are of weaker growth, but bloom almost constantly from June until frost. In our climate they need some Winter protection, the best method being to hill up the plants with earth and to mulch heavily with strawy manure or other light covering. Both classes should have a place in the home grounds.

After May I we can supply most varieties well established in 5 and 6-inch pots which may be set out with safety at any time during the late Spring or Summer.

We cannot ship dormant Roses after May first Abbreviations: AB, Austrian Brier; HP, Hybrid Perpetual; HT, Hybrid Tea; T, Tea.

#### Prices, except as otherwise noted:

Dormant plants, \$1.00 each; \$9.00 for ten; \$75.00 for 100 Potted plants, \$1.25 each; \$11.00 for ten; \$90.00 for 100 Not less than 25 plants at the 100-rate

Alfred Colomb. HP. Brilliant carmine-crimson; very large, full, and of fine globular form; extremely fragrant, and in every respect a superb sort; foliage large and handsome. One of the most useful of all sorts for general cultivation.

American Beauty. HP. Its very large blooms are deep pink to soft carmine, with delicate veins of dark red on the

Anne de Diesbach. HP. Carmine, a beautiful shade; very large. A superior garden sort; fragrant; one of the hardiest. Valuable for forcing.

Antoine Rivoire. HT. Finely shaped buds, flowers rosy

flesh on yellow ground. A very fine variety.

Ariadne. HT. Bright crimson flowers, yellow in centre. Dor-

\$1.50 each. Arthur R. Goodwin. HT. Coppery orange-red, passing to salmon-pink as the flowers expand, a superb combination of colour; flowers medium to large and full, vigourous free branching growth; a most valuable rose.

Augustine Guinnoiseau. HT. Sometimes called "White La France.' Well-shaped white flowers, with soft blush; freebloomer.

Baroness Rothschild. H.P. Dainty pale pink. A perfect

Betty. HT. Blooms extra large, and fragrant; colour a coppery rose, with golden yellow. Somewhat subject to "Black Spot." British Queen. HT. Strong growing variety. Buds open

with a slight pink flush, but flowers are pure white. Captain Christy. HP. Plump, heavy buds, flowers light and

dark pink. Rather dwarf.

Captain George Dessierier. HT. An improvement on Chateau de Clos Vougeot, more vigourous; flowers dark velvety red. Dormant. \$1.50 each.
Captain Hayward. HP. Flowers very large; colour bright

carmine crimson; vigourous and free-flowering.

Château de Clos Vougeot. HT. One of the finest red Roses. Flowers are a deep, velvety scarlet and very fragrant. A strong grower and free blooming variety.

Christine. HT. Clear, deep yellow, fine buds and flowers, good

habit. Dormant. \$1.50 each.

Clio. HP. Flowers large, in clusters, of fine globular form, flesh-colour shaded in the centre with rosy pink; growth vigourous; handsome foliage.

Columbia. HT. A very strong grower and free blooming all season. Colour is a beautiful pink, becoming brighter as

blooms grow older.

Crimson Queen. HT. Long pointed buds, well shaped flowers of deep crimson. Crusader. HT. Flowers crimson-red, lighter in centre;

vigourous grower. Dean Hole. HT. Silvery carmine, shaded salmon; large, full

flowers of fine form. A garden Rose of great merit. Duchess of Wellington. HT. Large, long buds, opening to semi-double flowers of saffron yellow, with a few veins of crimson; very fragrant. Should be given good protection during Winter; spray for "Black Spot.

Duchess of Sutherland. HT. Pink buds, flowers deep pink, shading to pale yellow.

Earl of Dufferin. HP. Rich, brilliant, velvety crimson, shaded with dark maroon; large, full, finely formed; delightful fragrance. A vigourous grower. Ecarlate. HT. Vivid scarlet blooms, flowering all season.

Strong grower.

Edith Part. HT. Flowers rich red suffused salmon and yellow; vigorous and free.

Edward Mawley. HT. A splendid bedding Rose; colour beautiful, rich crimson, shaded velvety maroon. Flowers are of good substance and produced freely. Strong, vigourous growth. Elegante. HT. Beautiful sulphur-yellow buds, flowers full,

creamy yellow; free flowering. Dormant. \$1.50 each. Etoile de France. HT. Velvety crimson, on stiff erect stems; cupped form; continuous and free flowering; fragrant



Jonkheer J. L. Mock



Mass Planting of Frau Karl Druschki

Fisher Holmes. HP. Crimson scarlet flowers, with long buds;

Florence Pemberton. HT. Flowers are creamy white, suffused with light pink. A free bloomer, especially in the

Frau Karl Druschki (Snow Queen). HP. Flowers very large,

beautiful, pure white. This is the best white Hybrid Perpetual.

General Jacqueminot. HP. Brilliant crimson; not full, but large and extremely effective; fragrant, and of excellent hardy habit; forces well.

General MacArthur. HT. Large flowers of scarlet-crimson on strong growing plants. Very fragrant.

General-Superior Arnold Janssen. HT. Large flowers of deep carmine, very large and fragrant. A strong growing variety.

George Arends (Pink Frau Karl Druschki). HP. Of vigourous fine habit; bright pink, flowering singly on the point of each shoot.

George Dickson. H.P. This is one of Dickson's best introductions. The colour is a velvety scarlet-crimson, with brilliant

scarlet reflexed tips. Globular shape, five inches in diameter.

Gloire de Lyonnaise. HP. White, tinted yellow, large, moderately full; resembles a Tea Rose in form and fragrance.

Gorgeous. HT. Orange-yellow, veined reddish-copper. Large well shaped flowers. As with all yellow varieties it is subject to "Black Spot."

Gruss an Teplitz. HT. Colour scarlet, shading to velvety crimson, very fragrant, a free grower and most profuse bloomer; handsome foliage. Especially valuable as a bedding rose. We

can recommend it as one of the choicest.

Golden Emblem. HT. A beautiful clear yellow Rose, sometimes having spots of crimson on outer petals. Foliage glossy and of good substance. More or less subject to "Black Spot."

Hadley. HT. Bright scarlet flowers. Very strong plants.

Harry Kirk. HT. Flowers clear yellow, very fragrant and

strong grower. Should be well protected during Winter.

Heinrich Münch. HP. Immense flowers, soft pink. Hugh Dickson. HP. Intense crimson, shaded scarlet; very large, full, and magnificent form. Intensely fragrant. Awarded

the Gold Medal of the National Rose Society of England. Irish Firename. HT. Deep orange splashed with crimson, expanding to large single flowers. A wonderful rose.

J. B. Clarke. HP. Very large, intense scarlet flowers. Strong growing variety. Sometimes classed as a Tea Rose as it often blooms in Autumn.

John Hopper. HP. Bright rose with carmine centre; large

and full. A profuse bloomer and standard sort.

Ionkheer J. L. Mock. HT. One of the most popular Roses. It is vigourous and sends up strong, erect, flowering shoots; the flowers are of perfect form, of a lovely carmine colour on outside petals, silvery pink on inside; highly fragrant. They possess the marked peculiarity of developing slowly and lasting for a long time.

Joseph Baud. HT. Large flowers, deep yellow, vigourous

and free-flowering.

Juliet. AB. A most distinct and attractive Rose, with large, perfect flowers. The outside of the petals is old gold, the interior rich rosy-red changing to deep rose as the flowers expand; of powerful, delicious fragrance.

Kaiserin Augusta-Victoria. HT. White, faintly blended with cream colour; very large, full and double, almost perfect in form, and it continues beautiful even when fully expanded;

very free flowering.

Killarney Brilliant. HT. An improved Killarney, colour more brilliant, and better bloomer.

Killarney White. HT. Flowers in shape and size similar to Killarney but pure white.

Lady Alice Stanley. HT. Coral-rose on outside, flesh pink inside. One of the best roses, very strong grower, blooming profusely during the entire season.

Lady Ashtown. HT. Pale carmine pink shading to golden yellow at base.

Lady Hillingdon. T. Deep apricot-yellow, long pointed buds; very free flowering and a good grower.

Lady Pirie. HT. Large flowers, outside reddish salmon, lighter inside.

Lady Ursula. HT. Flowers are large, clean flesh-pink and fragrant. Very strong grower and good bloomer in Spring, Summer, and Autumn.

La France. HT. Delicate silvery rose, changing to silvery pink; very large and full, of fine globular form; a most constant bloomer. One of the sweetest and most useful of all Roses. Laurent Carle. HT. A splendid red variety. Flowers are

velvety crimson; a good Autumn bloomer.

Lilian Moore. HT. Flowers Indian-yellow. Beautiful long pointed buds; plants vigourous and free-flowering. Resembles Mrs. Aaron Ward.

Los Angeles. HT. A magnificent Rose in vigour of growth, colour, form, and fragrance. The colour is a luminous flame-pink, toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at the base of the petals. The buds are long and pointed and they expand into intensely fragrant, beautiful flowers of large size. Subject to "Black Spot." Price, dormant: \$1.25 each, \$11.00 for ten; potted: \$1.50 each, \$14.00 for ten.

Louise Baldwin. HT. Beautiful flowers of rich orange, with shadings of apricot. Dormant. \$2.00 each.

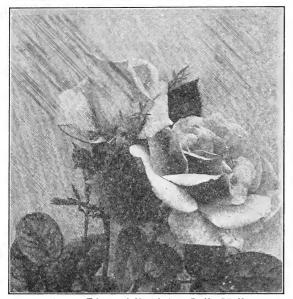
Louise C. Breslau. AB. Long buds coral-red, shaded with

yellow. It is a strong grower, but should be protected against "Black Spot."

Mme. Butterfly. HT. A sport of Ophelia. Shows even a better growth; large flowers, brilliant pink suffused apricot and gold.

### Control of "Black Spot" on Roses

Hammond's Copper Solution, one quart to fifty gallons of water, is the best preventive spray for "Black Spot" on Roses. Begin spraying in early June, especially if weather is close and muggy. Spray once a week.



Mme. Edouard Herriot or Daily Mail

Mme. Abel Chatenay. HT. Flowers rosy-salmon, deeper at base, blooming constantly.

Mme. Caroline Testout. HT. Large and double, colour clear bright rose, very sweet, resembling La France, but of more sturdy habit; very free flowering; one of the best roses.

Mme. Edouard Herriot (Daily Mail). HT. Winner of the Gold Cup which was offered by the Daily Mail of London for the best new Rose exhibited at the International Horticultural Exhibition held in London. Colour in bud form coral-red with yellow at the base, while the semi-double open flowers are of a superb coral-red shaded with yellow and bright rosy-scarlet passing to shrimp-red. Subject to "Black Spot" which is readily controlled by spraying with copper solution.

Magna Charta. HP. Pink, suffused with carmine; full, globular. Foliage and wood light green, with numerous dark spines. A fragrant, excellent Rose. Valuable for forcing.

Margaret Dickson. HP. Of magnificent form; white, with pale flesh centre; petals very large, shell shaped, and of great substance; fragrant, a fine variety; foliage very large, dark green.

Marshall P. Wilder. HP. It is of vigourous growth, with healthy foliage; flowers large, semi-globular, full, well formed; colour cherry-carmine, very fragrant. Blooms profusely long after the other Hybrid Perpetuals are out of flower.

Mrs. Aaron Ward. HT. Of French introduction. The colour is a distinct shade of Indian-yellow, which, as the flower expands, shades lighter towards the edges, making a splendid colour combination. One of the freest-flowering varieties in our collection.

Miss Cynthia Forde. HT. One of the finest roses; vigourous and free flowering. Brilliant rose-pink.

Mrs. Arthur Robert Waddell. HT. Flowers are deep apricot when in bud opening to orange salmon; free flowering especially during the Autumn.

Mrs. R. B. Cant. HT. Large, double flowers, deep rose outer

petals, inner petals soft silvery rose.

Mrs. John Laing. HP. Soft pink; large and of fine form, produced on strong stems; exceedingly fragrant; one of the most valuable varieties for forcing, and flowers continuously in the open ground. Very desirable.

Mrs. C. W. Dunbar Buller. HT. Rosy white, veined clear

rosy carmine. Dormant. \$1.50 each.
Mrs. R. G. Sharman Crawford. HP. Colour deep rosy pink, outer petals shaded with pale flesh, white at base of petals; flowers large, of perfect imbricated form, freely produced from early Summer until late in Autumn. Growth vigourous.

Mrs. W. Christie-Miller. HT. Large flowers of pearly white, shaded to salmon-pink. Outside of petals is red and rose.

Strong grower, should be in every garden.

Mrs. Farmer. HT. Indian-yellow reverse of petals reddish apricot; vigourous grower. Dormant. \$1.50 each.

Mrs. John Cook. HT. White flowers suffused with delicate pink.

Molly Sharman Crawford. HT. Buds greenish-white opening into pure white flowers; very vigourous.

National Emblem. HT. Large, handsome, dark crimson. Old Gold. HT. Vivid orange shaded copper and apricot. Ophelia. HT. Flowers are full and perfect, of salmon flesh

colour shaded to yellow. Strong grower, and constantly in

Paul Neyron. HP. Deep rose colour; good tough foliage, wood rather smooth; by far the largest variety in cultivation. A free bloomer; very desirable as a garden Rose; valuable for

Persian Yellow. AB. Large, deep golden-yellow. An old favourite.

Pharisaer. HT. Flowers large and full, rosy white shading to silvery salmon. One of the best.

Premier. HT. Rich dark pink, vigourous and strong plants. Prince Camille de Rohan. HP. Dark maroon, or blood-red flowers, the darkest of them all.

Radiance. HT. A splendid free-flowering variety of vigourous habit. Colour light silvery pink, suffused with deeper colour. Flowers are globular.

Red Letter Day. HT. Semi-double, vivid crimson. Plants vigourous and free.

Robin Hood. HT. Bright rosy crimson.

Red Radiance. HT. Similar in habit to the Radiance but deep red in colour.

Richmond. HT. A well-known brilliant crimson-scarlet; not very double, but beautiful in bud form.
Rose Marie. HT. Flowers very large and fragrant, bright

rose pink, free bloomer.

Soleil d'Or, or Golden Sun. AB. Varies from orange-yellow to reddish gold, shaded with Nasturtium-red; large, full, perfectly double flowers; a strong grower.

Souvenir de George Beckwith. HT. Flowers shrimp-pink, chrome yellow. Dormant. \$2.00 each.

Souvenir du President Carnot. HT. Flesh, shaded white. An attractive flower of large size and excellent form.

The Queen Alexandra Rose. HT. A splendid rose, with lively vermillion petals to old-gold on back and at base; strong

grower. Dormant. \$2.00 each. Ulrich Brunner. HP. Brilliant cherry red, a very effective colour; flowers of fine form and finish, carried well upon the plant; petals of great substance; plant vigourous, hardy, and resists mildew. One of the best.

William F. Dreer. HT. Flowers are similar in shape to Los Angeles, and, like that variety, very fine in the half-open flower. Colour soft shell pink, the base a rich golden yellow.

Subject to "Black Spot." Price each: \$1.50.

William R. Smith. T. A cross between Kaiserin Augusta-Victoria and Maman Cochet; one of our best bedding roses;

flowers large, creamy-white with rose shadings.

Willowmere. AB. Buds are coral red opening to shrimp-pink, shaded yellow in centre. Very free flowering, and strong grower; should be protected against "Black Spot."

### STANDARD or TREE ROSES

Price: \$2.50 each, \$22.00 for ten

Etoile de France. Crimson. Frau Karl Druschki. White. Gen. MacArthur. Scarlet. Hadley. Bright Scarlet. Jonkheer J. L. Mock. Deep

pink.

Kaiserin Augusta-Victoria. White.

Mme. Butterfly. Pink, suffused apricot. Mme. Caroline Testout.

Rose pink. Mrs. Aaron Ward. Yellow.

Ophelia. Salmon. Radiance. Pink.

#### MOSS ROSES

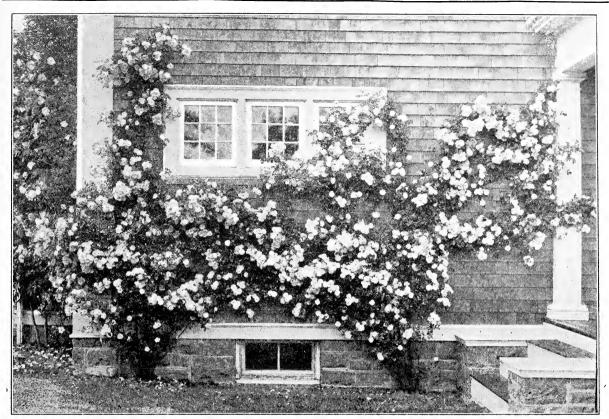
This is a favourite class with everyone on account of the beautiful buds which, for bouquets and cut-flowers are especially attractive.

Blanche Moreau. Pure white, large, full, and of perfect form; the buds and flowers produced in clusters and freely furnished with a deep green moss. A valuable variety.

Crested Moss. Deep pink coloured buds, surrounded with a mossy fringe and crest; free from mildew. Fragrant, very beautiful.

Princess Adelaide. Pale rose, of medium size and good form; foliage often blotched or variegated. Good in bud and flower. Do not prune this variety severely.

Salet. Light rose, large, full, pretty in bud.



Climbing Rose Tausendschön

# CLIMBING ROSES

Prices, except as otherwise noted: Dormant plants: 75¢ each, \$6.50 for ten; Potted plants ready after May 1: \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten.

Abbreviations: Cl. HT. Climbing Hybrid Tea; Cl. P., Climbing Polyantha; HCl., Hardy Climber; HW, Hybrid Wichuraiana; W. Wichuraiana.

American Pillar. HCl. Clusters of large, single pink flowers with white centres and prominent yellow stamens. Foliage is dark, waxy-green, free from mildew and insect pests.

Aviateur Blériot. HW. Exquisite buds of saffron-yellow

christine Wright. HW. Blossoms double, wild-rose pink, large and beautiful. Vigourous growth; bright foliage.
Climbing American Beauty. HW. Rich red. One of the most popular climbers. Full, double flowers borne in great profusion. Growth vigourous; foliage bright, glossy green.

Climbing Orleans. Cl.P. Vivid red double flowers with white centres. Plant is vigourous and comes near to being a perpetual bloomer.

Crimson Rambler. Cl.P. Of rapid growth, producing in marvelous abundance clusters of the brightest crimson semidouble roses.

Doctor Huey. HW. Semi-double flowers are dark crimsonmaroon or deep scarlet, showing cluster of yellow stamens. Flowering season lasts nearly three weeks; never fades "blue."

Doctor W. van Fleet. HW. A delicate flesh-pink. Buds long and pointed; blossoms beautifully formed. Foliage large and glossy. Plant beautiful even when out of bloom.

Dorothy Perkins. HW. Large for a Rose of this class, very double, of a beautiful shell pink colour, sweetly scented, and borne in clusters of thirty or forty.

Emily Gray. HW. A beautiful rose. Its golden-yellow buds are long and tapering, opening to semi-double flowers of a beautiful buff shade. Dormant. \$1.00 each.

Excelsa. HW. The same general form as the Crimson

Rambler but a far better colour and free from mildew. The flowers are brilliant scarlet in immense clusters.

Flower of Fairfield. HCl. Brilliant crimson.

Gardenia. HW. Buds when opening a deep yellow turning white when expanded. The nearest dependable yellow of the Climbing Roses.

Gloire de Dijon. Cl.HT. Full and lovely blooms, creamy on the outer petals, orange-yellow toward the centre. One of the best climbing Roses. Should be protected for Winter.

Hiawatha. HW. Its flowers are about 1½ inches across, and produced in long, pendulous sprays. In colour it is brilliant, ruby-carmine, with a clear white eye and a mass of golden stamens — a glowing combination of colours, which can be seen at a great distance. The plant is of strong, vigourous growth, with bright green, glossy foliage.

Marechal Neil. Not hardy, and should be used in greenhouse only. Buds are beautiful and pointed; flowers a lovely yellow.

Paul Noël. HW. Salmon-pink flowers, opening from fine red buds splashed yellow at the base. Long blooming period.

Paul's Scarlet Climber. HW. A vigourous climber, recently introduced, with the glossy Wichuraiana foliage. Double, vivid scarlet blossoms, two inches or more in diameter, are borne in clusters of from ten to twenty. Dormant plants, \$1.00 each.

Silver Moon. HW. Immense single white flowers with prominent yellow stamens. Its waxy, dark-green leaves and strong growth are distinguishing characteristics.

Tausendschön. Cl.P. Familiar to many as supplied in bloom by florists for Winter decoration, this rose is none the less attractive for out-of-doors. Large, semi-double, shell pink flowers borne in clusters.

White Dorothy Perkins. HW. A pure white sport from Dorothy Perkins.

Wichuraiana or Memorial Rose. W. Single, pure white flowers; bright green foliage. Much used as a ground-cover for banks and terraces, but also makes a delicate, graceful climber when properly supported.

### POLYANTHA ROSES

These varieties belong to the Dwarf or so-called Baby Rambler class. The China or Bengal Roses are in this class, but our list includes only the hardier Polyanthas.

Dormant plants: 75c. each, \$6.50 for ten Pot grown plants after May 1, \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten

Aennchen Muller. Shining pink. Catherine Zeimet. Snow white.

Cecile Brunner, Pink. Pink borne in clusters, exquisite buds. Cecile Brunner, White, White variety of above. Clothilde Soupert. White shading to deep pink.

Ellen Poulson. Dark pink.

Erna Teschendorff. Deep crimson.

George Elger. Golden yellow. Ideal. The finest dark scarlet, new. Each \$1.00.

Maman Levavasseur (Baby Dorothy). Pink. Miss Edith Cavell. Brilliant scarlet.

Mme. Norbert Levavasseur (Red Baby). Crimson.

Mrs. W. H. Cutbush. Peach pink.

Orleans. Brilliant geranium red, suffused rose. Triomphe Orleanais. Bright cerise red.

### RUGOSA HYBRIDS

Treese "natural" or "wild" types, and the hybrids derived from them, are hardy, shrubby roses suitable for massing or hedging. The Hybrids retain the vigour and hardiness of the parent species, with refinement of colour and blooming qualities.

Dormant plants only

Conrad Ferdinand Meyer. Pure, silvery-pink, surpassing all others of the Rugosa family in beauty of colour and fullness of form; fragrant and hardy. Price: 90¢ each, \$8.00 for ten.

F. J. Grootendorst. The new Rugosa — baby rambler hybrid. Has typical Rugosa foliage, with trusses of crimson blossoms flowering all Summer. Price: \$1.00 each, \$9.00 for ten.

Rugosa (Type). Single red. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten.

Rugosa alba. Pure white. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten. Sir Thomas Lipton. Double white. Price: 90¢ each, \$8.00

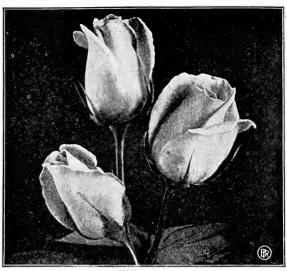


Rosa Hugonis

# Rosa Hugonis

A new bush rose from China, reaching a height of 6 feet. Its arching branches, in early May, are lined throughout their length with pale yellow, single flowers the size of a silver dollar. Hardy everywhere.

Price, potted plants: \$2.00 each, \$18.00 for ten. Dormant plants: \$1.50 each; \$14.00 for ten.



Killarney

### Twelve Selected Hybrid Tea Roses

For the home garden, these varieties represent an excellent assortment of "everblooming" roses. Under favourable conditions these plants will blossom from early June until heavy frosts in the Autumn.

Price each: Dormant, \$1.00; Potted, \$1.25 except as noted.

Betty. Coppery-rose, overlaid with golden-yellow. Blossoms are large and full, borne profusely from June until frost. Columbia. Glowing pink, full blossoms; vigourous growth. Duchess of Wellington. Saffron-yellow, stained with crimson. General MacArthur. Deep velvety scarlet. Vigourous growth.

Gruss an Teplitz. Probably the most profuse-blooming of the garden roses; excellent for bedding. Velvety crimson.

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Killarney. Popular pink variety, especially beautiful in bud. Lady Alice Stanley. Rich coral-rose with deeper shadings. Los Angeles. The most glorious of our collection. Its colour is luminous flame-pink, shaded with coral and gold. Growth is vigourous. Price dormant: \$1.25 each, \$11.∞ for ten.

Ophelia. One of the popular new varieties; brilliant salmonpink, shaded with rose. Radiance. Light silvery pink.

SPECIAL ROSE OFFER "A"

One each of the above 12 Hybrid Tea Roses, dormant plants, parcel post paid in New England, for \$10.00.

### Twelve Selected Hybrid Perpetuals

The Hybrid Perpetuals will withstand cold and exposure better than the less hardy Hybrid Teas. They bloom for two or three weeks in June, and occasionally again in August if severely pruned after the earlier blooming season. The blossoms are large and fragrant, borne on the ends of the new branches.

Price each: Dormant, \$1.00; Potted, \$1.25

Alfred Colomb. An old favourite; cherry-crimson.

Clio. Rosy flesh-colour, shaded pink. Frau Karl Druschki. The best white rose.

General Jacqueminot. For a bright, shining crimson, the well-known "Jack Rose" cannot be surpassed.

George Arends. Clear, brilliant pink, large and full. John Hopper. Bright carmine-rose.

Magna Charta. Clear rose-pink.

Marshall P. Wilder. Rich, glowing red.

Mrs. John Laing. Silvery pink, free-blooming.

Paul Neyron. Very large, bright pink.

Soleil d'Or. One of the best yellow roses, of the hardy Brier type. Shaded orange and red.
Ulrich Brunner. Cherry-red of distinct tone.

SPECIAL ROSE OFFER "B"

One each of the above twelve Hybrid Perpetual Roses, dormant, parcel post paid in New England, for \$10.00.

### HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

The Hardy Perennials supply us with some of the most beautiful and interesting plants available for out-of-door culture. By judicious selection from their almost endless variety a continuous succession of bloom from Spring until frost, with wonderful range of colour, may be obtained. Plants will be found suitable for massing, for bedding, and for borders, also for cutting. Advice as to selection and arrangement is gladly furnished.

Prices except as otherwise noted: 30 cents each, \$2.50 for ten, \$20.00 for 100



Heliopsis Persicæfolia

### Heliopsis Persicæfolia

The new Japanese Sunflower. A magnificent semi-double variety, perfectly hardy, growing 4 feet high. Splendid for cutting.

Price from 3 inch pots: 50 cents each

ACHILLEA — YARROW

A. ptarmica fl. pl. (The Pearl). One of our best border Perennials; erect stems, 18 inches, terminating with pure white

nias; erect stems, 18 inches, terminating with pure white flowers, exceedingly double; June to September.

ACONITUM — MONKSHOOD

Price: 35¢ each, \$3.25 for ten, \$30.00 for 100

A stately group of plants for the wild garden, sbrubbery borders, and in shady spots, where they do well. They grow 3 to 5 feet high, producing large spikes of blue, white, purple, and yellow flowers not unlike the Delphiniums.

A sentum (Fall Mankshood) Doop blue Advanced Science

A. acutum (Tall Monkshood). Deep blue. August and Sept.

A. barbatum. Blue, July.

A. bischeri. A dwarf variety, growing 18 inches high, with very large, pale blue flowers in September and October.

A. Napellus. June to September. Flowers dark blue. 3½ ft.

A. Napellus Bicolor. Large blue-and-white flowers.

AGROSTEMMA — MULLEIN PINK

Of easy cultivation. Foliage oval and light gray, with abundance of flowers. Excellent and showy plants for borders.

A. coronaria. June to August. Rose-crimson flowers. 2 feet.

A. Flos-Jovis. June and July. 12 to 18 inches. Forms a pretty, symmetrical bush, having soft, downy foliage and clustered heads of bright rose-coloured flowers continuing in

blossom for a long time.

ALYSSUM — MADWORT

A. saxatile compactum. April to June. I foot. Broad velvety gray foliage, surmounted by elegant, small fragrant yellow flowers, in heads.

#### ALTHEA ROSEA — HOLLYHOCK

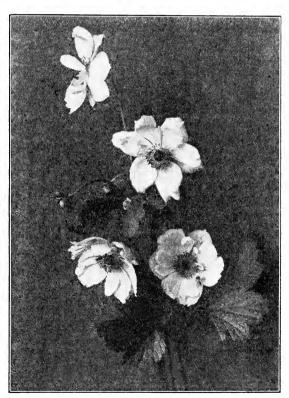
Few hardy plants are more worthy of cultivation than Hollyhocks. For interspersing among shrubbery or planting in rows back of lower growing plants they are most valuable. Whether single or double, they appear in the most lovely shades of colour. They thrive in any good soil; a slight protection in Winter is beneficial. var. Alleghany. Large double flowers with fringed petals; colour pink or carmine.

Double in colours: carmine, pink, red, salmon, white, yellow.

Single in colours: pink, red, and white. Mixed, double or single.

ANCHUSA — ALKANET

A. Italica, Dropmore. An improvement on the old Italian Alkanet; grows 5 feet high and produces its pretty gentianblue flowers throughout the entire Summer.



Anemone Japonica

#### ANEMONE — WINDFLOWER

A. Japonica. September until frost. 3 to 4 feet. It is of vigourous growth, with handsome foliage, and the flowers of a pinkish red are freely produced on long stems, and are of

great merit for cutting.

A. var. alba. September to November. Pure, large white flowers with yellow stamens. The latest-flowering perennial we have and equalled by few hardy plants. This and the pink form should be protected by a heavy mulching of leaves.

A. var. Queen Charlotte. The finest of all Anemones. It blooms much earlier than the old varieties, and the flowers are not spoiled by the early frosts. The flowers are rose-pink. 2 to 3 feet.

A. var. Whirlwind. A semi-double white form. The flowers, which are 2½ to 3 inches across, have several rows of white sepals, and the blooms last much longer than those of the single variety. 3 to 4 feet.

ANTHEMIS - CHAMOMILE

A. tinctoria. June to October. 2 to 3 feet. Flowers deep lemon-yellow. Excellent for cutting.



Breck's Long Spurred Hybrid Aquilegia

#### AQUILEGIA — COLUMBINE

One of the most deservedly popular groups of hardy plants, and one in which every variety has an individual grace and beauty which never

fails to elicit admiration.

A. Californica hybrida. This is a strain of almost unparalleled beauty; it is a cross between A. cœrulea and A. cœrysantba, having similar-shaped flowers, but much larger than either of the parent species and very distinct in colour, varying in almost every shade imaginable from creamy white to intense blue and rosy purple.

A. Canadensis. April to June. I to 1½ feet. The wild Honeysuckle. Scarlet and yellow flowers.

A. chrysantha. May to August. 3 feet. Numerous golden yellow flowers, with long, slender spurs; one of the most distinct of this family; fragrant and showy.

A. Erskine Park Hybrids. This strain of Aquilegia originated at Erskine Park, Lenox, Mass., the result of hybri-dizing the finest European and American varieties. Mixed colours.

A. var. Breck's Pink. Pure pink flowers. A new introduction,

very free flowering.

A. Long Spurred Hybrids. Choice mixed. 3 feet. This strain is the finest procurable. The colours range through the most beautiful combinations of blue, bright rose, pink,

mauve, white, yellow, and orange.

A. vulgaris. April to June. 1½ to 2 feet. Flowers in all shades of blue, white, red, and purple; strong, vigourous

habit of growth.

A. var. alba. April to June. Large, pure white flowers. Of great value for cutting, and most showy. 2 to 3 feet.

#### ARABIS - ROCK CRESS

A. alpina fl. pl. An extra-double form. Low growth, suitable either for the rockery or the border, and covered with fine racemes of pure white double flowers.

ARMERIA — SEA PINK or THRIFT

A. formosa. Deep rose. June. I to 1½ feet.

A. maritima. May and June. Grass-like foliage, with fine purple flowers. Valuable for edging and borders. 3 to 6 inches.

ARTEMISIA — WORMWOOD A. Dracunculus (Tarragon). Fine for flavouring.

ASCLEPIAS — MILKWEED

A. tuberosa (Butterfly-weed). July and August. 2½ feet.

Large heads of brilliant orange-coloured flowers of most showy appearance. Price: 35¢ each, \$3.25 for ten, \$30.00 for 100.
ASPHODELINE — ASPHODEL

A. luteus. June and July. 3 feet. Grassy foliage and strong flower spikes, bearing fragrant yellow flowers.



Hardy Asters -- Novæ Angliæ

#### HARDY ASTERS - MICHAELMAS DAISIES

In this class are some of the most showy as well as really beautiful and interesting flowering plants in cultivation. All are quite bardy, graceful in babit, and bear such profusion of flowers that they are most valuable in the garden, especially as they blossom when the scarcity of hardy flowers is most marked.

Alpinus. Mixed colours. Pale pink to white; low-growing,

good for rock-work.

Climax. Blue. 3 feet. Feltham Blue. Blue. 3 feet.

Novæ Angliæ. Purple. 4 feet. September and October.
Novæ Angliæ. Purple. 4 feet.
Pink Beauty. Pink. 2 feet.
var. roseus. Rosy pink. 4 feet.
Spectabilis. Blue; an improved "Climax."
St. Egwin. Pink. 3 feet.

Subcœruleus. Low, tufted foliage; large pale blue flowers. Tatarieus. Blue. 6 feet.
White Queen. White. 4 feet. September and October.

ASTILBE — ARENDSII HYBRIDS
Will thrive in good soil. Should be well watered during growing season. Flowers in large panicles similar to Spiræa. Price: 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten

A. ceres. Rosy lilac. 4 feet.

A. Gloria. Brilliant dark pink.
A. Gruno. Salmon-pink. 4 feet.
A. Juno. Purple pink. 3 feet.

A. Margarete. Rose pink.

A. Meta Immick. Deep pink. 3 feet.

A. Rose Pearl. Shell pink.

A. Salland. Red.
A. Vesta. Lilacrose. 3 for A.White Pearl. White. 3 feet.

#### BAPTISIA - FALSE INDIGO

B. australis. June and July. 3 feet. Easily grown, adapted to any garden soil, and quite compact and showy. Long racemes of dark blue flowers.

BELLIS - ENGLISH DAISY

B. perennis. April to June. 6 inches. Red, white, and pink; double. Very popular Spring flowers. Handsome and effective plants, suitable for edging. Price: 15¢ each, \$1.40 for ten, \$10.00 for 100.

**BOCCONIA** — TREE CELANDINE B. cordata. August. This is one of the most tropical-looking of all our hardy plants. The foliage is broad and glaucous. It grows 6 to 8 feet high, terminating in a great spike of whitish flowers, and grows in grass or any wild spot.

BOLTONIA - FALSE CHAMOMILE

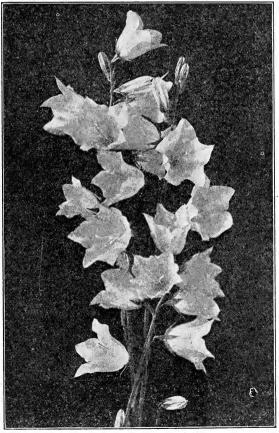
B. asteroides. September and October. 4 to 5 feet. One of the finest of late-flowering perennials; Aster-like flowers in

B. latisquama. August and September. 4 feet. Flowers clear lavender-lilac. It is valuable in any situation, growing August and September. 4 feet. Flowers vigourously in any soil.

CALIMERIS

C. incisa. July and August. 1 to 2 feet, Light blue, Asterlike flowers. CALLIRRHOË - POPPY-MALLOW

C. involucrata. June to September. I foot. A trailing plant of vigourous growth, with large, rich, violet-crimson flowers during the entire latter part of the Summer. The foliage is good and the entire plant is distinct and showy.



Campanula Persicæfolia

#### CAMPANULA — BELLFLOWER

Carpatica (Harebell). June to September. 9 inches. This forms neat, compact tufts, covered with large, erect blue flowers; useful as an edging, bedding, or border plant.

C. var. alba. June to September. 9 inches. Similar to above,

but with pure white flowers.

C. media (Canterbury Bell). Biennial, 2 to 3 feet high; flowers blue, pink, white, rose, and mixed colours; corolla very large and bell-shaped; bright and attractive.

C. var. calycanthema (Cup and Saucer). Biennial. July. Calyx is coloured like the flower, giving a cup and saucer effect. Pink, blue, and white.

C. laetiflora. July and August. 2 to 4 feet. White. C. persicæfolia. June and July. 3 feet. Broad, purple, bellshaped flowers arranged along a tall flower spike. A good border plant.

C. var. Moerheimi. June and July. 1½ to 2 feet. This peach-leaved Campanula is the finest double white bell-flower grown. The flowers are produced freely and resemble a double white rose, so perfectly are they formed. They are from 21/2 to 3 inches in diameter.

C. pyramidalis (Chimney Campanula). July and August. A noble plant for back of the herbaceous border, forming a pyramid composed of numerous stems 4 to 5 feet in height, each

stem being crowded with large, blue, Salvia-like flowers.

C. rotundifolia (Scotch Bluebell). June to August. I foot. Light blue, trumpet-shaped flowers. A fine rock plant in a damp situation. CASSIA

C. Marilandica. July to September. 4 feet. Yellow.

CERASTIUM

C. tomentosum (Snow in Summer). Silvery foliage with white flowers. Fine for rockery. 6 inches. **CHEIRANTHUS** 

Cheiranthus Allioni (Siberian Wallflower). Flowers bright orange. Continues flowering all Summer if seed pods are cut off. CHELONE - TURTLE-HEAD

C. Lyonii. August. 2 feet. A perennial of great beauty, with dark glossy foliage and most profuse in flowering. Terminal spikes of red or purplish-red flowers.

#### HARDY CHRYSANTHEMUMS

CULTURE: Plant in any good garden soil. Fork manure into soil, preferably in the Autumn. Plants may be set any time after danger from frost is past. Space rows two feet apart, plants 18 inches, or in groups of 3 to 5 plants in the sunny border 1 foot apart. Pinch out head when setting and under no conditions allow plant to grow over six inches in height without pinching out the centre. When plant has developed 3 or 4 leaders of strong growth, again pinch out tips, and then discontinue this practice. Feed plants from the first of July every two weeks with liquid manure, or Thompson's Special Chrysanthemum Manure. Tie plants firmly to 2 foot stakes, and be careful not to cultivate too near the plant, as by doing so, the roots may be injured. During dry weather water thoroughly.

Price: 30c. each, \$2.50 for ten, \$18.00 for 100.

Aberdeen. Rich bronze, Button type.
Agrippina. Light red, very good.
Alice Howell. Wonderful shade of orange yellow. Early flowering and perfectly hardy.

Autumn Glory. Deep golden yellow. Autumn Queen. Rosy Crimson.

Baby. The smallest yellow variety grown. Boston. Large flowers, a beautiful bronze.

Cranfordia. An early-flowering variety; perfect in flowers and stem. Colour is a deep, bronzy yellow.

Eva. Flowers delicate pink; one of the earliest.

Excellence. Large double flowers of deep red.

Excelsior. A gorgeous variety. When first opening almost a

scarlet, which afterwards changes to bronze and flame colour. One of the very largest and most attractive singles.

Glory of Seven Oaks. Dwarf, golden yellow. Free-flowering and very early.

Golden Climax. Orange-yellow. Truly named, as it does not seem possible to improve on this variety.

Hills of Snow. Pure white, large, pompon type. Ida Catherine Skiff. Brilliant bronzy amber, flowers large and well placed on the stem; valuable for cut-flower work.

J. Boone. Large flowers, pure white. Johnson's Favourite. Deep rose pink.

Mrs. Albert Phillips. Deep lavender. When first opening

the contrasting colour is a lovely cream.

Mrs. Nellie Kleris. Colour beautiful pink evenly diffused over the flower. The blooms are as large as Lillian Doty, but better divided on the stems.

Mrs. W. E. Buckingham. Midseason pink, has proved itself one of the best varieties for cutting.

Rosea. Large flowers; rosy red.

Ruth Cumming. Colour reddish bronze. True Autumn shades. Compact grower.

Smith's Advance. One of the earliest of the large-flowering white varieties, blooms profusely in great masses.

For collections of Chrysanthemums, see back cover page.

#### **CLEMATIS**

C. recta. Flowers white, sweet-scented and in immense masses. 3 feet. Rare and excellent.

CONVALLARIA — LILY OF THE VALLEY
C. majalis. Spring. 9 inches. This is familiar to every one. It makes stronger spikes when given good cultivation open to the sun. Price: 50¢ each, \$4.50 for ten.
COREOPSIS — TICK SEED

. lanceolata. June to September. 3 feet. This is doubtless one of the most showy hardy plants, and has the additional C. lanceolata. advantage of being very continuous in blooming. The flowers are a rich vellow.



Delphinium Elatum - Bee Larkspur

#### **DELPHINIUM** — LARKSPUR

These are deservedly among the most popular subjects in the hardy border; bold, attractive and highly prepossessing plants of easiest culture, perfectly hardy. They will establish themselves in almost any good garden soil.

D. Belladonna. The freest and most continuous blooming of all. The clear turquoise-blue of its flowers is not equalled for

delicacy and beauty by any other flower.

D. Bellamosa. A dark-blue variety of the above.

D. Chinense. A very pretty variety, with fine feathery foliage and intense gentian-blue flowers in open panicles.

D. Chin. var. album. A pure white form of the above. D. coeruleum fl. pl. A double dark-blue variety.

D. elatum (Bee Larkspur). June to September. 5 to 6 feet. Dark blue flowers in long spikes.

D. Erskine Park Hybrids. A variety producing enormous spikes of the lighter shades of blue.

D. formosum. The old favourite dark blue with white centre.
3 to 4 feet high. Very vigourous, free-flowering.

Gold Medal Hybrids. The plants are of strong, vigourous habit, with large flowers in spikes two feet and over long.

King of Delphiniums. One of the finest yet introduced; the plant is of remarkably strong growth, with flowers of gigantic size, semi-double and of a deep blue colour, with large white eye. Price: 90¢ each, \$8.00 for ten.

#### DIANTHUS --- PINK

D. barbatus (Sweet William). June and July. 20 inches. A fine old biennial, but one which perpetuates itself by self-sowing. The colours are very brilliant and effective. Double and single varieties mixed. Also in colours: Crimson, white, and Newport pink.

D. plumarius (Scotch Pink). June. 9 inches. Thick tufts of glaucous green foliage, and handsome, fragrant flowers.

Dark pink fragrant flowers of good size, D. semperflorens. Dark pink fragrant flowers of go with red centre. Foliage silvery and fine. 15 inches. Hardy Hybrid Garden Pinks

Her Majesty. White. Very large and double, fragrant. Homer. Rosy-red, double, and fragrant. May and June. 1 ft. Juliette. White and crimson. May to August. I foot. Very double and sweet.

DICENTRA — DIELYTRA

D. eximia. All Summer. 18 inches. A charming perennial, with fern-like foliage and short racemes of drooping, purplish

D. spectabilis (Bleeding Heart). April to July. Flowers heart-shaped in long racemes, rosy crimson. Fine for borders. 2 feet. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 for ten.

#### DICTAMNUS -

Price: 50¢ each, \$4.50 for ten

May and June. 2 to 3 feet. A very showy border perennial forming a bush, having fragrant foliage and spikes of curious red flowers, giving off during hot weather a fragrant volatile oil, which explodes when a match is applied to it.

D. frax. var. alba. May and June. White variety of above.

DIGITALIS -- FOXGLOVE

D. gloxiniæflora. June and July. 3 feet. An excellent variety ranging in colour from white to deep pink.

D. var. alba. June and July. 2 ft. Pure white.

D. grandiflora. June and July. 2 to 3 feet. A yellow-flowered Foxglove, quite hardy and easily grown.

D. maculata superba. Beautifully spotted. June and July. 3 feet.

D. monstruosa (Mammoth Foxglove). Long spikes, enormous flowers, mixed colours.

D. purpurea. June and July. 2 to 3 feet. Elegant spikes of beautiful tubular flowers of various shades of purple to white, and with variously coloured, spotted throats.

D. rosea. Pink. July. 3 feet.

ECHINACEA — CONE FLOWER

E. purpurea. A showy, strong-growing plant 2 to 4 feet high with flowers of great duration in August and September. Large, reddish purple flowers.

ERYNGIUM - SEA HOLLY

E. amethystinum. July and August. 3 feet. Has hand-some, spiny, laciniated foliage and heads of flowers of a lovely amethystine blue.

#### **EULALIA — ORNAMENTAL GRASS**

E. Japonica. Green foliage. 4 feet.

#### **EUPATORIUM** — THOROUGHWORT

E. ageratoides (White Snake-root). White flowers. 3 to 4 feet. August and September.

E. coelestinum (Mist Flower). Light blue flowers similar to Ageratum. August to October. 2 feet. E. purpureum (Joe Pye Weed). Purple flowers. Fine for wild

gardens. 5 feet. July to September.

FESTUCA - FESCUE GRASS

F. glauca. Handsome, light, glaucous blue foliage. Fine for edging.

FUNKIA - PLANTAIN LILY

Hardy plants with Lily-like flowers, forming dense clumps of foliage. They thrive in almost any rich soil with ample moisture, either in sun or shade. All of the species are natives of Japan.

F. subcordata grandiflora. July to September. 2 feet.

fine pure white, large, trumpet-flowered and exceedingly

fragrant species, with handsome, broad, light green foliage.

F. lancifolia. August. 2 feet. Deep green, lanceolate foliage and spikes of lilac flowers.

F. var. undulata variegata. A form with undulate foliage, handsomely variegated with white. A fine foliage and edging

June. 2 feet. Elegant, broad, glossy, deep green F. ovata. foliage, vigourous growth, large spikes of lilac, trumpet-shaped

flowers.

GAILLARDIA — BLANKET-FLOWER

This plant deserves a more prominent position than has hitherto been accorded it. It is one of the most brilliant of all perennials and a constant bloomer from June until frost. It is bardy and thrives in any location.

G. grandiflora. Flowers large, crimson and gold. 2 feet.

Blooming all season.

GERANIUM --- CRANE'S BILL

G. sanguineum. Handsome, large, clear crimson flowers in profusion all Summer. 2 feet.

GEUM

G. coccineum var. Mrs. Bradshaw. Splendid new variety. Double dark red flowers. Blooms all Summer. 2 feet.

GYPSOPHILA - BABY'S BREATH

G. paniculata. When in bloom during August and September it forms a symmetrical mass 2 to 3 feet in height, and as much through, of minute pure white flowers, forming a beautiful gauze-like appearance. When cut it is exquisite in combination with other flowers.

G. paniculata fl. pl. This is the true double variety which has

been grafted. 50¢ each.; \$4.50 for ten.



Helenium

## **HELENIUM --- SNEEZEWORT**

H. autumnale superbum. Golden-yellow flowers during the late Summer and Autumn months. 5 to 6 feet. H. rubrum. New bright terra-cotta red variety.

H. Riverton Beauty. Rich lemon-yellow, black centre. August and September. 4 feet.

HELIANTHEMUM — SUN ROSE
H. mutabile. Pale pink fading to lilac and rose. Trailing habit.

HELIANTHUS — SUNFLOWER

H. decapetalus. September to frost. 5 feet. Fine, free-flowering form, with clear yellow flowers in immense panicles. H. multiflorus fl. pl. soleil d'or. Deep yellow, large, double, dahlia-like flowers on wiry stems. 4 feet.

H. mollis. Thick velvety foliage with silvery tinge. Lemon-

yellow flowers. August and September. 4 to 5 feet.

HELIOPSIS - OX EYE

 H. lævis. Orange yellow. June to October. 4 feet.
 H. pitcheriana. July to September. 3 feet. A choice, dwarf variety, of great value for cutting all through the Summer. Showy, deep orange-yellow flowers.

HEMEROCALLIS - DAY LILY

Popular hardy tuberous plants, belonging to the Lily family. They succeed everywhere, and should always be included in the border of old-fashioned hardy plants. H. flava (Yellow Day Lily). The best known variety, very fragrant,

deep lemon-yellow flowers in June and July. 21/2 to 3 feet.

H. Kwanso fi. pl. Double orange. July and August. 3 feet.

H. Thunbergii. The latest to flower, rich buttercup-yellow, funnel-shaped flowers throughout July. 4 feet.

HESPERIS -- SWEET ROCKET

H. matronalis. Pink. June to August. 2 to 3 feet.

HEUCHERA — ALUM ROOT

H. sanguinea. June to September. 18 inches. Very freeflowering; bright crimson flowers, good for cutting, and a charming border or rock plant.

HIBISCUS — MALLOW

H. Mallow Marvels. A robust type of upright habit, producing an abundance of flowers of enormous size in all the richest shades of crimson, pink and white; mixed colours.

H. Moscheutos (Swamp Rose Mallow). Flowers 6 inches in'

diameter; of a light rosy-red colour, with darker eye.

H. Moscheutos var. "Crimson Eye." Flowers of immense size, of the purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety crimson in the centre.

## HOLLYHOCK — see ALTHEA IBERIS - CANDYTUFT

I. sempervirens (Evergreen Candytuft). May and June. Of spreading habit; flowers pure white, completely covering the plant with bloom; one of the finest border plants. I foot.

## GERMAN IRIS

German Iris is among the most desirable and most easily grown of our Spring-flowering hardy plants, producing in May showy flowers of exquisite colouring, combining the richest and most delicate tints. For best results plant in a well-drained, sunny position, bared, covering the roots. In the following descriptions, S signifies the standards, or erect petals, F the falls, or drooping petals.

Alcazar. S, light-bluish violet. F, deep purple with bronze veined throat. Each \$1.00.

Atropurpurea. S and F, rich claret purple. Each 25¢; \$2.20

Archevêque. S, deep purple-violet. F, rich deep velvety

violet. Fragrant. Each \$1.00.

Aurea. S and F, clear rich yellow. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Black Prince. S, purplish-blue. F, black-purple. Each 25¢; \$2.30 for ten.

Brechta. S, bronzy-yellow. F, blue-violet, bordered bronze. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Bronze Beauty. S, clouded yellow. F, ruby-lavender, crest

golden. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten. Caprice. S, rosy red. F, deeper rosy red, very handsome. Ēach 30¢ \$2.50 for ten.

Celeste. S and F, pure azure-blue, tall. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for

Chester Hunt. S, celestial blue. F, dark marine blue, bor-

dered pale blue. Each 75¢; \$6.50 for ten.

Conspicua. S, yellow. F, purple. Each 15¢; \$1.40 for ten.

Cypriana Superba. S, soft blue. F, violet-purple. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten.

Eldorado. S, yellowish bronze, shaded with heliotrope. F. purple, shaded bronze. Each 75¢.

Fairy. S and F, white, delicately bordered and suffused with

soft blue. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Flavescens. S and F, light, primrose-yellow. Each 25¢; \$2.20

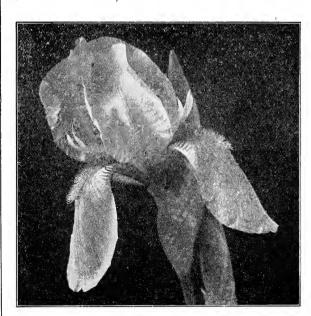
for ten.

Florentina. S and F, pale-blue. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten. Florentina alba. S and F, light blue changing to white. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Foster's Yellow. S and F, creamy yellow. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Gagus. S, light yellow. F, crimson, verticulated white and yellow, with clear yellow edge. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Garrick. S, pale blue. F, deep violet-blue. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.



German Iris

Gerda (Intermediate). S, creamy yellow. F, darker yellow, veined. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten.

Gracehus. S. vellow. F. velvet-purple. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Halfdan (Intermediate). S and F. Creamy white; large flowers. Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten.

Helge (Intermediate). S and F. Lemon-yellow, pearly shading. Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten.

Her Majesty. S, rose-pink. F, crimson. Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten. Honorabilis. S, Indian yellow. F, chestnut-red. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Kharput. S, violet-blue. F, dark blue. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten. King of Iris. S, yellow. F, dark brown, bordered yellow.

Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten.

Lohengrin. S and F, deep violet mauve. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten.

Lorelei. S, light yellow. F, blue, bordered yellow. Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten.

Marmora. S, sulphur and fawn. F, crimson purple margined lavender. Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten.

Massasoit. S and F, a distinct shade of Venetian blue. Each 75¢:

\$6.50 for ten.

Mme. Chereau. White, margined with blue. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Mrs. Gladstone. S, white. F, tipped dark-purple and white striped. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Mrs. H. Darwin. S, snow-white. F, white veined purple.

Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Mrs. Neubonner. Deep golden yellow. Each 30¢.; \$2.50 for ten. Mithras. S, light yellow. F, wine-red, bordered yellow. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten.

Monseigneur. S, violet. F, purple-crimson. Each 50¢. Nibelungen. S, fawn yellow. F, violet-purple. Each 30¢.; \$2.50 for ten.

Pallida Dalmatica. S, clear lavender-blue. F, deep lavender.

Each 35¢; \$3.00 for ten.
Pallida Khedive. Soft lavender with distinct orange beard. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Pallida speciosa. S, violet-blue. F, purple. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Pauline. S, lavender. F, darker. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.
Perfection. S, light blue. F, violet-black. Each 35¢.
Princess Victoria Louise. S, light-sulphur yellow. F, rich violet-red, edged creamy white. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Purple King. S, rich claret-purple. F, deep purple. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Queen of May. S and F, bright rosy-lavender. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Rhein Nixe. S, pure white. F, violet-blue edged white. Each 50¢.

Shakespeare. S. bronzy-yellow. F. maroon, reticulated yellow. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

Sherwin Wright. Rich golden yellow. Each 50¢.

Van Geertie. S, lavender. F, purple-black. Each 15¢; \$1.40 for ten.

Violacea grandiflora. S, blue. F, violet-blue. Each 30¢; \$2.50 for ten.

Walhalla. S, lavender. F, wine red. Each 50¢; \$4.00 for ten. Walneriana. S, light-blue. F, pale-violet. Each 25¢; \$2.20

Mixed. All colours. Each 25¢; \$2.20 for ten.

## JAPANESE IRIS

A very important group of bardy Iris, quite distinct from any other. They are of strong, vigourous growth, with large single, double, or semi-double flowers, beautifully coloured. Well adapted for damp or sunny locations, in loam or sandy soil. Our stock of Japanese Iris is this season arranged under the following colour classification:

Price in Colours: 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten, in Mixed Colours: \$2.50 for ten; \$18.00 for 100.

Purple. Chiefly clear, deep purple shades, some with a touch of gold at base of petals.

Purple and White. Varying from deep purple edged and veined with white, to white blotched or streaked with purple. Lavender. Pale lavender, veined with purple, deeper purple in centre.

Blue-lavender. Approaching as nearly blue as is found in Japanese Iris. White and gold at centre; some striped white.



## MISCELLANEOUS IRIS

Price: 30¢ each, \$2.50 for ten Pumila or Dwarf Hybrids

Aurea. Light yellow. Azurea. Bright blue; very free. Canary Bird. Rich canary-yellow. Cœrulea. Pale blue, tinged purple.

Orange Queen. Very bright orange, flushed purple.

Natural or Wild Types Pseudacorus. May and June. 4 feet. The common yellow Water-Flag, suitable for marshes and water courses.

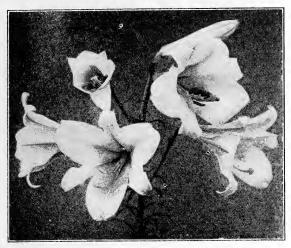
iberica. June. 3 feet. Long narrow leaves, pale blue flowers. Fine for water garden. Siberica.

var. alba. A fine, pure white form.
var. orientalis. May to June. 3 to 4 feet. Deep blue flowers.
var. orientalis Snow Queen. Flowers pure white.

LAVANDULA — LAVENDER This is the true Sweet Lavender; grows about 18 inches L. vera. high; delightfully fragrant blue flowers in July and August. LIATRIS — BLAZING STAR, or GAY FEATHER L. pycnostachya. Spikes of light, rosy-purple flowers. 5 feet.

# Flower Gardens

The well-planned flower garden or border can be made a source of enjoyment from early Spring until late Autumn, as the succession of bloom affords some new beauty from day to day. Complete plans and estimates are supplied by our Service Department at reasonable cost.



Lilium Myrophyllum

## LILIUM — LILY

For Garden and Pot Culture

The Lilies are among the most beautiful and ornamental of cultivated bulbous plants, their stately babit and variously-coloured flowers (which are in many cases highly perfumed) rendering them indispensable subjects for greenhouse decoration, and for out-side flower-garden embellishment. Nearly all are hardy. The commoner and more plentiful species may be effectively employed for grouping or naturalizing. Many of them are excellent bor-der plants when in flower, being extremely attractive in mixed arrangements, if properly placed in respect of height. Many of the strong-growing Lilies are well adapted for planting among

shrubs, where the latter are not too thickly placed. By growing a selection of species in pots, to flower at different times, a valuable addition to greenbouse decorative subjects is secured over a long period, in Summer and Autumn. Lilies should always be planted not less than three in a clump thus . . .

L. auratum (Golden Banded Lily of Japan). Ivory white ground thickly strewn with purple studs; the centre of each petal has a band of light golden yellow extending from tip to base.

Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 per doz.

L. Batemaniæ. Clear orange apricot, without spots, 6 to 8 flowers borne on a stem 4 feet high. Price: 40¢ each, \$4.00 per

L. Browni. Trumpet-shaped flowers, 10 inches in length, interior pure white with chocolate-coloured anthers, exterior brownish-purple. Price: \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per doz.

L. Canadense (Candian Bell-Flowered Lily). Colour varies from reddish orange to yellow, thickly marked with black spots;

3 to 4 feet. Price: 25¢ each, \$2.00 per doz.

L. Henryii (The Yellow Speciosum). A new and very beautiful hardy lily from Northern China. The plants are of vigourous growth, frequently attaining a height of 6 feet, each stem

growth, nequentry attaining a neight of offeet, each stem carrying from 5 to 8 flowers of a rich apricot yellow; spotted with brown. Price: 75¢ each, \$7.50 per doz.

L. myriophyllum (Regal Lily). A good forcer, absolutely hardy. Flowers white, slightly shaded with pink, canary-yellow centre. Price: \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per doz.

L. speciosum album. Large, white flowers of great substance, with a greenish band through the centre of each petal; height, a fact. 3 feet. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 per doz.

L. Speciosum rubrum or roseum. White, heavily spotted

with rich crimson; height, 3 feet. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 per

L. speciosum rubrum Melpomene. The darkest of the Speciosum group, white, heavily spotted with dark crimson; height, 3 feet. Price: 60¢ each, \$5.00 per doz.

L. superbum. Yellowish red; height, 4 feet. Price: 25¢ each,

\$2.50 per doz.

L. tigrinum splendens (Tiger Lily). Fiery scarlet flowers, spotted crimson; the best of the tiger lilies; height, 6 feet. Price: 25¢ each, \$2.50 per doz.

L. tigrinum fl. pl. Double flowered, orange, spotted black; height, 3 feet. Price: 25¢ each \$2.50 per doz.

LINUM — FLAX L. perenne. May to August. 18 inches. Handsome, light blue flowers.

LOBELIA — CARDINAL FLOWER

L. cardinalis. August and September. 3 feet. One of the finest scarlet hardy plants we have, and of easy cultivation, even in clay soils.

L. syphilitica. September. 21/2 feet. Close spikes of showy, deep blue flowers.

LUPINUS --- LUPIN L. polyphyllus. June and July. 2 to 5 feet. Deep blue, pea-

shaped flowers in long spikes.

L. var. albus. July and August. 4 feet. The white variety, fine, bold, showy.

L. var. rosea. Strong spikes of soft rose-pink flowers. 3 feet. LYCHNIS — CAMPION

L. Chalcedonica. A most desirable plant, heads of brilliant orange-scarlet, grows 2 to 3 feet high and blooms all Summer. L. Haageana. Brilliant orange-scarlet flowers in May and June.

12 inches L. vespertina fl. pl. Large, double white flowers, produced in the greatest profusion the entire Summer; 18 inches.

L. viscaria splendens fl. pl. Forms a dense tuft of evergreen foliage, and in June sends up spikes of handsome, double deep red, fragrant flowers.

LYSIMACHIA

L. nummularia (Money-wort). June to September. 2 inches. Deep yellow flowers. Excellent to cover bare spots in partial shade. Price: 25¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$18.00 for 100.

L. roseum superbum (Rose Loose-strife). A strong-growing plant, 3 to 4 feet high, thriving in almost any position, producing large spikes of rose-coloured flowers from July to Sep-

MALVA --- MALLOW M. moschata. June to September. 2 feet. Fragrant flowers in

clusters of a rosy tint, and very showy. MENTHA — MINT

M. piperita (Peppermint).

M. viridis (Spearmint).

MONARDA — BEE BALM

M. didyma. June to September. 3 feet. Large, brilliant scarlet flowers in profusion.

MYOSOTIS — FORGET-ME-NOT

M. palustris (The True Forget-me-not). Delicate blue flowers

with yellow centres, appearing all Summer. ŒNOTHERA — EVENING PRIMROSE

Œ. speciosa. May to September. 2 feet. A splendid border plant, with large, pure white flowers. Œ. Youngii. June to August. 2 feet. A useful border plant,

exceedingly free, with golden yellow flowers. PACHYSANDRA — JAPANESE SPURGE

P. terminalis. An attractive evergreen trailing plant, thriving in almost any location. A most desirable cover plant for shaded spots.

PAPAVER — POPPY There is no class of hardy plants which has risen so much in public favour as the perennial Poppies, all of which are most striking and useful. They flower from the beginning of June to October.

P. nudicaule (Iceland Poppy). All Summer. Flowers of a

bright cheerful yellow. I foot.

P. orientale. June. 3 feet. The large Oriental Poppy. A bold and showy perennial, producing numerous slender stems 2½ feet high, with large, crimson-scarlet flowers.

P. or. var. Goliath. Oriental-red.

P. or. var. Mrs. Perry. Salmon-pink. P. or. var. Oriflamme. Orange-scarlet. P. or. var. Perry's White. Pure white.

## PÆONIES

Paonies should be planted in good, rich, deep soil, after which they require less attention than any other class of flowering plants. They are perfectly hardy and their remarkable freedom from disease and insects makes them most desirable. Some of the varieties are of enormous size, perfectly double and deliciously fragrant. In colour the Pæony rivals the Rose in heauty, ranging from pure white to darkest red, and the shades of pink are truly magnificent.

Adolphe Rousseau. Very tall, deep garnet. Each, \$1.50. Albert Crousse. Large, soft shell pink. Each, \$1.25. American Beauty. Double red. Each, \$1.50.

Asa Gray. Milk-white, with carmine dots; effect is delicate pink. Each, \$1.50.

Auguste Villaume. Dark violet rose, very late. Each, \$2.00. Avalanche. Ivory white, late. Each, \$1.00.

Baroness Schroeder. Pure white, midseason. Each, \$1.50. Beauty's Mask. Paint blush-pink, edged yellow. Each, \$2.50. Boule de Neige. Milk-white, centre flecked crimson. Each, 75¢. Boadicea. White and carmine. Each, \$1.00.

Candidissima. Pure white, sulphur centre. Each, 75¢. Charlemagne. Lilac-white, blush centre. Each, 50¢.

Claire Dubois. Satiny pink, petals long and incurved. Each, \$1.50.

Couronne d'Or. Pure white, with circle of golden stamens. Each, 75¢.

Cry-Rosea. Pink. Each, 75¢.

Daubeton. Deep shell pink, early. Each, \$1.50.

Delachie. Violet crimson, tipped silver. Each, 75¢.

Dorchester. Delicate pink, late. Each, 75¢.

Due de Wellington. Large white, sulphur centre, late. Each, 50¢.

Duchesse de Nemours. White centre, petals sulphur yellow, early midseason. Each, 75¢.

Duke of Devonshire. Shell pink, midseason. Each, \$3.50.

Edulis Superba. Mauve pink, early. Each, 75¢.

Felix Crousse. Deep ruby red, very fine. Each, \$1.00.

Festiva Maxima. Large, ivory white, flaked crimson. Each,

Fulgida. Rose magenta, with silver tips. Each, 75¢.

Germaine Bigot. Cameo pink, midseason. Each, \$1.50.

Grandiflora nivea plena. Outside milk-white, centre delicately shaded salmon and sulphur. Each, 75¢.

Jeanne d'Arc. Soft rose, midseason. Each, 75¢.

L'Elegante. Light pink. Each, 75¢.

La Coquette. Deep pink with lighter centre. Each, 50¢.

La Fayette. Rich pink with silvery reflex. Each, \$3.00. La Rosiere. Semidouble white with yellow tints, midseason. Each, \$1.50.

La Tendresse. Milk-white, centre flaked crimson. Each, 75¢. La Tulipe. Lilac white, striped crimson. Each, 75¢.

Louis Van Houtte. Dark crimson, very double. Each, 75¢. Marguerite Gerard. Flesh pink, fading to creamy white, with ring of gold. Each, \$1.50.

Madame Auguste Dessert. Very beautiful soft pink, fading to flesh colour; midseason. Each, \$2.00.

Madame Boulanger. Cameo pink, with some markings of carmine, late. Each, \$2.00.

Madame Calot. Large, flesh pink, early. Each, \$1.00. Madame Ducel. Rose pink, silver reflex. Each, 75\( \xi\$.

Madame Lebon. Cherry pink to analine red, late. Each, 75 ¢. Monsieur Dupont. Ivory white with crimson markings, late. Each, \$1.50.

Monsieur Martin Cahuzac. Dark garnet or maroon. "The darkest Pæony." Each, \$5.00.

Madame Emile Galle. Exquisite shade of shell pink, late. Each, \$1.00.

Madame Charles Leveque. Rose white, centre deeper shade. Each, 75¢.

Madame Crousse. Pure white, centre flaked crimson. Each, 75¢.

Milton Hill. Pale lilac rose. Each, \$3.00.

Petite Renee. Semi-double, deep pink, midseason. Each, \$1.50. Pierre Dessert. Crimson purple, silvery tips. Each, \$2.00.

Red Dragon (officinalis rubra). Early, bright red. Each, \$1.00. Rosea plenissima. Deep pink. Each, 50¢.

Sarah Bernhardt. Delicate shell pink, extra fine, late. Each, \$5.00. Solange. Petals waxy white, suffused reddish golden light, one

of the finest, late. Each, \$6.00. Therese. Large shell pink, with lighter centre; midseason.

Each, \$5.00. Mixed Colours, double varieties. Price: \$5.00 for ten.

Single Mixed, includes many fine sorts. Price: 50¢ each, \$4.00

Special Assortment of choice named varieties, our selection, packed in lots of one dozen, postage prepaid. Price: \$6.00.

PENTSTEMON — BEARD TONGUE

P. barbatus Torreyi. July. 4 feet. Stately, brilliant, with long, loose panicles of bright scarlet flowers.

PHYSALIS — LANTERN PLANT P. Franchetti. October. 2 feet. Large red pods. PHYSOSTEGIA - FALSE DRAGON-HEAD

P. Virginica. One of the most beautiful of our mid-Summer flowering perennials, forming dense bushes 3 to 4 feet high, bearing spikes of delicate pink tubular flowers not unlike a gigantic heather.

P. Virginica alba. Pure white variety of the preceding. **PLATYCODON** 

P. grandiflora. July to October. 1 to 3 feet. Large, showy, deep blue flowers.

P. var. alba. Similar to the above, but with pure white flowers. P. var. Mariesii. A dwarf form of the above, with broad foliage and larger deep violet-blue blossoms. I foot. **POLEMONIUM** 

P. cœruleum (Jacob's Ladder). May to July. Light blue. 18 in.
P. repens. April to June. Bright blue. 6 inches.
POLYGONATUM — SOLOMON'S SEAL

P. commutatum. Panicled racemes of drooping flowers on very long stems. 2 to 3 feet.
 PRIMULA — PRIMROSE

P. officinalis hybrida (Cowslip). April and May. 6 to 12 inches. These vary in colour ranging from crimson to deep yellow and pure white. They are more at home in a frame.

P. veris superba. A giant-flowered form, producing individual flowers from I to 2 inches across; in colour they are a bright canary-yellow with a golden centre; perfectly hardy, and when in flower present a sheet of bloom.

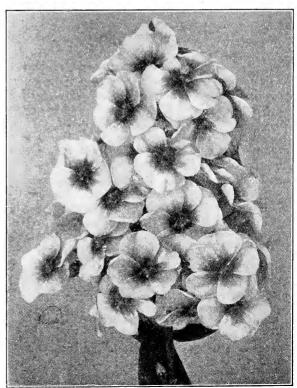
P. vulgaris (English Primrose). An old favourite, and should be found in every garden; one of the earliest Spring flowers; of bright canary-yellow; very fragrant.

P. japonica. Large purple-crimson flowers on long stems. June.

PYRETHRUM — FEVERFEW P. roseum. They include all colours from deep red, various shades of pink to pure white.

## HARDY PHLOX

Albion. White faint pink eye. Annie Cook. Flesh-pink, fragrant. B. Compte. Rich, French-purple, late. Baron von Dedem. Scarlet, red centre.



Phlox Selma

## Hardy Phlox-continued

Beacon. Brilliant cherry-red. Each 35¢, \$3.00 for ten.

Bridesmaid. White, crimson centre. Cameron. Soft pink, suffused with white.

Coquelicot. Scarlet, crimson eye. Eclaireur. Rosy magenta.

Elizabeth Campbell. Light salmon, pink centre. Each 35¢, \$3.00 for ten.

Flora Hornung. Pale pink, centre suffused carmine.

F. A. Buchner. Large, pure white.

Gen. von Heutz. Salmon, purple centre.

Gladstone. Large, rose colour, red eye. Glenwood. Clear bright red.

Gruppenkoenigin. Flesh-rose, carmine eye.

Henry Murger. Red, salmon centre, late.

Jeanne d'Arc. Pure white, tall.

Joseph Barr. Deep, purplish carmine.

L'Esperance. Lavender pink, white centre.

Lothair. Bright crimson.

Louise Abbema. Dwarf, pure white. Mme. Meuret. Flame, carmine centre.

Mme. Benzanson. Crimson.

Mme. Paul Dutrie. Soft pink.
Mme. P. Langier. Bright red.
Marquise de St. Paul. Tall, pure white.

Miss Lingard. Early, white, tall.

Mrs. Oliver. Bright pink.

Nana Cœrulea. Lavender blue.

Pantheon. Bright carmine-rose.

R. P. Struthers. Purplish salmon.

Rosenberg. Reddish-violet. Rynstrom. Carmine-rose.

Selma. Pink, cherry-red centre.

Sir Edward Landseer. Bright crimson. Stella's Choice. Pure white, tall.

Superbians. Pink, crimson eye.

Thor. Salmon pink, red eye. Von Lassburg. Pure white. W. C. Egan. Delicate lilac. Each 35¢, \$3.00 for ten.

Mixed. All colours.

Other Varieties of Phlox

Price: 25¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$18.00 for 100

P. amœna. Dwarf, deep pink. P. Caroliniana ovata. Purplish-red.

P. subulata. Moss pink. P. var. alba. White.

RUDBECKIA — CONE-FLOWER
R. laciniata var. "Golden Glow." It is a strong, robust grower, attaining a height of 5 to 6 feet, and produces masses of double golden-yellow Cactus Dahlia-like flowers from July to September.

R. Newmanii. Dark orange-yellow flowers, with deep purple cone, borne on stiff, wiry stems; 3 feet high. Flowers from

July to October.

R. purpurea (Echinacea, Purple Cone-flower). August and Sep-

tember. 3 feet. Reddish-purple flowers.

SALVIA — MEADOW SAGE
S. argentea. Grown for its large, ornamental, silvery-white

foliage, flowers white, June. 2 feet.

S. azurea. A Rocky Mountain species, grows 2 to 3 feet high, producing during August and September pretty sky-blue flowers in the greatest profusion.

S. pratensis. Showy spikes, 2 to 3 feet high, of deep blue

flowers, from June to September.

SANTOLINA

S. incana. Dwarf evergreen perennial, foliage silvery white, flowers yellow; fine for rockery. July and August. 11/2 to 2 ft. SCABIOSA

S. Caucasica. July to September. 18 inches. Flowers soft, lilac-blue shade. It is a vigourous grower, thoroughly hardy, and very free blooming.

SEDUM --- STONE-CROP

**Dwarf Varieties** 

S. acre (Golden Moss). Much used for covering graves; foliage green, flowers bright yellow.

S. album. Green foliage, white flowers. Erect, or Tall-Growing Varieties

S. spectabile. One of the prettiest erect-growing species, attaining a height of 18 inches, with broad light green foliage and immense heads of handsome showy rosy-crimson flowers.

S. spec. var. Brilliant. A rich coloured form of the preceding, being a bright amaranth-red.

SHASTA DAISIES

Alaska. Large pure white. All Summer. King Edward. White, 3 ft. All Summer.

SIDALCEA

S. var. Rosy Gem. Showy pink flowers on wiry stems in June and July. 2 to 3 feet.

SPIRÆA — GOAT'S BEARD

See also Astilbe
S. aruneus var. Kneiffi. White. 3 to 4 feet. June. Undoubtedly the finest and mot graceful of its class. Flowers in large clusters and foliage finely cut.

S. Chinensis. Pink. July and August. 1½ feet.
S. Gladstone. White. 2 to 2½ feet. June.
S. Japonica. White. 2 feet. June and July. An old and valuable variety for garden or forcing.

S. Kamtschatka. Cream-white. July. 5 feet.

STACHYS - WOUNDSWORT

S. lanata. Wooly white foliage, purple spikes. STATICE—SEA LAVENDER

S. latifolia. Minute bright blue flowers produced in broad heads 18 to 20 inches across, adapted to cutting, as they keep long after being dried, and are very showy. I to 2 feet. July to September.

STOKESIA — CORNFLOWER ASTER

S. cyanea. Grows from 18 to 24 inches high, bearing freely from early in June until October its handsome lavender-blue Cornflower-like blossoms.

S. cyanea alba. Pure white variety of above.

THYMUS—THYME

T. vulgaris. June and July. 6 inches. An old garden plant, being grown as a sweet herb; flowers small, lilac, or purplish, in terminal, interrupted spikes; foliage very fragrant.
TRADESCANTIA — SPIDER WORT

T. Virginiana. Gives a succession of blue flowers all Summer.
TRILLIUM — WOOD-LILY

T. grandiflorum. May. 9 inches. Large, white flowers which are very handsome. Can be domesticated in any garden, and is worthy of culture everywhere. Price: 25¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$18.00 for 100. TRITOMA — RED-HOT-POKER PLANT

T. Pfitzerii. Aug. to Oct. 4 feet. Produces extra-fine spikes of orange-scarlet flowers, with long, protruding anthers. TROLLIUS — GLOBE FLOWER

T. Europæus. A valuable border perennial, with large, globular, lemon-coloured, buttercuplike flowers on long stems. 18 in.

T. Eur. var. Orange Globe. A strong, sturdy grower, with large, globular flowers, of a rich deep, glowing orange. Freeblooming. 2 feet. Price, 50¢ each, \$4.50 for 10.

TUNICA

T. saxifraga. June to August. 6 inches. A good rock plant, with quantities of small, rosy white flowers and delicate foliage. VERONICA — SPEEDWELL

V. amethystina. June. 12 inches. Flowers amethyst-blue, on short spikes.

V. longifolia subsessilis. August and September. 2 feet. Flowers in dense, erect spikes, a foot in length and from 4 to 5 inches in circumference, of a deep, rich blue. Perfectly hardy.

V. rupestris. May and June. 4 inches. Creeping habit, and one of the best for carpeting rockeries or bare places. Flowers showy blue in dense spikes.

V. spicata. June to August. 2 to 3 feet. Long spikes of

small, blue flowers.

VINCA — MYRTLE

Vinca minor. April to June. Of a creeping habit, with evergreen foliage and bright flowers; finely adapted to covering bare spots and very shady places where grass will not grow. Green foliage; strong-grower; flowers blue. Price: 25¢ each, \$2.20 for ten, \$18.00 for 100. VIOLA — VIOLETS

V. cornuta. April to August. 9 inches. Dark purple. V. var. alba. April and May. 6 inches. Large, white-flowered

variety and constant bloomer. Useful as a border plant.

V. var. atropurpurea. All Summer. 8 inches. Identical with the type, except that the flowers are a rich dark purple.
VIOLAS or TUFTED PANSIES

Price: 15¢ each, \$1.40 for ten, \$10.00 for 100 Admiration. Soft purple, with dark blotch.

Lutea Splendens. Rich golden yellow. White Perfection. A fine white.

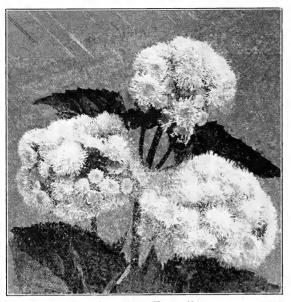
YUCCA — ADAM'S NEEDLE

Y. filamentosa. Immense clusters of creamy flowers. 4 to 5 feet. June and July. Price: 50¢ each, \$4.00 for ten.

\$10.00.

## SUMMER BEDDING PLANTS

Pot-grown for planting after the first of May



Ageratum Frazerii

#### **ABUTILON**

For twelve, \$3.00; for 100, \$20.00.

## ACHYRANTHUS

Brilliant. Foliage bronze-purple. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00. Variegata. Foliage green and white. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100,

AGERATUM-FLOSS FLOWER.

Frazerii. Choice dark-blue. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

ALYSSUM-SWEET AYLSSUM

Little Gem. Dwarf white for edging. For twelve, \$1.00; for 100, \$7.00.

ANTIRRHINUM-SNAPDRAGON

Breck's Large Flowered. In colours pink, scarlet, white, and yellow. For twelve \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

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American Branching. White, pink, light-blue and scarlet. For twelve, 50¢; for 100, \$3.50.

Giant Crego. Lavender, blue, shell-pink and white. For

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Gloire de Chatelaine. Rose-colour. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

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New Scarlet (Bonfire). For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

Tuberous-rooted. Grows best in partial shade. A wide range of colours, both double and single flowers. For twelve \$5.00; for 100, \$40.00.

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English. Finest mixed. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

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Esculentum. Strong plants. For twelve, \$3.50; for 100, \$25.00. CALENDULA-POT MARIGOLD

Meteor. Orange, cream centre. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, Prince of Orange. Extra good. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100,

\$10.00. **CARNATION** 

Marguerite. Finest mixed. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

CELOSIA—COCKSCOMB

Dwarf. Crimson or yellow. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00. Plumosa. Crimson or yellow. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

CENTAUREA-DUSTY MILLER

Candidissima. Silvery foliage. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100,

Cyanus (Bachelor's Button). Blue. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

COBÆA-CUP-AND-SAUCER VINE

Seandens. Rapid climbers, 12 feet. For twelve, \$3.00; for 100, \$20.00.

COLEUS-FLAME NETTLE

Dr. Ross. Leaves crimson edged with green. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$8.00.

Golden Bedder. Fine yellow. For twelve, \$1.25; for 100, \$8.00. Queen Victoria. Crimson, golden edge. For twelve, \$1.25; for 100,\$8.00. Verschaffelti. The popular crimson. For twelve, \$1.25; for 100,

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Eally-flowering. White, pink, and red. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

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Platycentra. Scarlet tube-shaped flowers. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$12.00.

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Choice Selected Pants. Each 75¢. Larger Plants. Each, \$1.00.

MATRICARIA-FFVERFEW Double White. Free flowering. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

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Various Colours. Double and single. For twelve, \$3.50; for 100, \$25.00.

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Prices: \$3.00 for twelve, \$20.00 for 100

Alliance (Double, Ivy leaved). Lilac white.

Alphonse Ricard (Semi-double). Bright vermillion-scarlet. Annie Vincent (Semi-double). Bright pink.

Beaute Poitevine (Semi-double). Light salmon-pink. A great favourite.

Double Dryden (Double). Coral-white, shading through lilac

Jean Viand (Semi-double). Bright mauve-rose, white centre. La Favourite. The finest double white, continuous bloomer. Mme. Salleroi. Variegated-leaved; dwarf, for borders and edging.

Mrs. E. G. Hill (Single). Soft light salmon-pink. Mrs. Lawrence (Semi-double). Pale salmon-pink.
Rycroft's Surprise (Ivy-leaved). Clear rose-pink.
S. A. Nutt (Double). Rich, dark crimson, free flowering.

Sweet Scented. Rose, Lemon, etc.

HELIOTROPE Centefleur. Rich, deep violet. For twelve, \$2.50; for 100,

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English. Small pot-plants for window-boxes. In 4-inch pots, 75¢ each; \$7.50 for twelve. Larger plants, \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.

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Alba Perfecta. Best white. For twelve, \$2.50; for 100, \$15.00. Craigi. Rich orange-scarlet. For twelve, \$2.50; for 100, \$15.00. Mere Jaune. Deep golden-yellow. For twelve, \$2.50; for 100, \$15.00.

Rosea. Rosy-lilac. For twelve, \$2.50; for 100, \$15.00.

LEMON VERBENA

Good Plants. For twelve, \$3.00; for 100, \$18.00.

LOBELIA

Crystal Palace compacta. Dwarf dark-blue. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00. Erinus gracilis. Trailing dark blue. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100,

MARGUERITE

White and Yellow. For twelve, \$3.50; for 100, \$25.00.



Giant African Marigolds

## MARIGOLD

Dwarf French. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00. Giant African. Lemon and orange. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

#### MIGNONETTE

Machet. Sweet scented. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

#### NASTURTIUMS

Dwarf Mixed. For twelve, \$1.00; for 100, \$8.00. Tall Mixed. For twelve, \$1.00; for 100, \$8.00.

NICOTIANA — TOBACCO PLANT Affinis. Pure white flowers. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

## Alata. Pink flowers. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00. **PANSIES**

Giant. Mixed or in colours. Baskets 35¢ each; plants, for twelve 50¢; for 100, \$4.00.

### PETUNIA

**Double.** Assorted colours. Each, 25¢; for twelve, \$2.50; for 100, \$18.00.

Ruffled Giant. Single, fine markings. For twelve, \$1.50; for

100, \$10.00.

Rosy Morn. Bright rosy-pink. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$9.00.

Breck's Velvety Violet Blue. A great acquisition to the Petunia family; must be seen to be appreciated. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

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Drummondi. Four colours. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

## RICINUS - CASTOR OIL BEAN

Green or Red. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

## SALPIGLOSSIS

Grand Mixed or separate colours. For twelve, \$1.75; for 100, \$12.00.

## SALVIA — SCARLET SAGE

**Splendens** (Bonfire). Bright scarlet. For twelve, \$1.75; for 100,

Zurich. Dwarf scarlet. For twelve, \$1.75; for 100, \$10.00.

## SCABIOSA — MOURNING BRIDE

Finest Mixed. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

## STOCKS — CUT-AND-COME AGAIN

Lexington Strain. In colours. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

## **TORENIA**

Fournieri. Dwarf blue, for edging. For twelve, \$1.75; for 100, \$12.00.

## VERBENA

Breck's Mammoth. Pink, white, blue and scarlet. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.

#### INCA — PERIWINKLE

Major Variegata. Variegated-leaved trailer for vases and boxes. 4 inch pots. Each, 40¢; for twelve, \$4.50; for 100, \$30.00.

Rosea. Red and white. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

## WALLFLOWER

Mixed colours. For twelve, \$2.00; for 100, \$15.00.

Breek's Prize Strains. White, pink, yellow, and scarlet. For twelve, \$1.50; for 100, \$10.00.



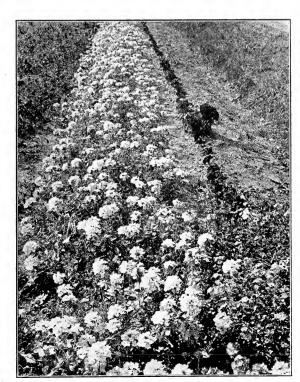
Breck's Prize Strain Zinnias

## A New Verbena

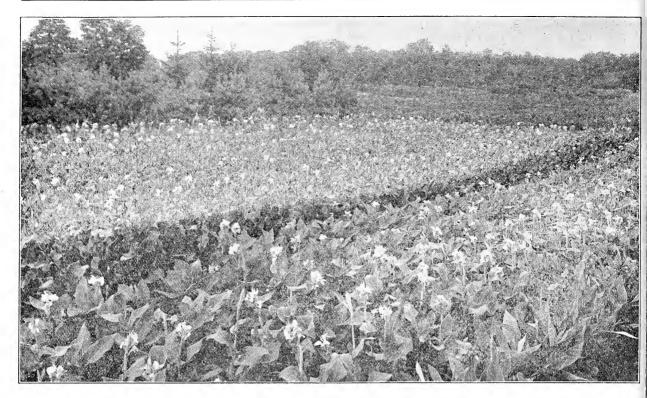
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Exquisite pink of the shades found in the Trailing Arbutus, with flowers double the size of any other variety. A robust grower, very floriferous, and a sensation wherever shown.

Price: 25c each; \$2.50 for twelve



A Bed of Mayflower Verbenas in our Trial Grounds



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## FLOWERING CANNAS

Our collection (the most complete in New England) comprises many of Wintzer's greatest creations in giant orchid-flowered Cannas, all of which have won the highest awards at the world's most notable exhibitions. These new and improved forms of Cannas must be seen to be appreciated. Their brilliancy of colour, perfect flower-spikes, and free blooming qualities combine to place them among the most popular of flowering plants for lawn decoration. Our Canna fields, when in bloom, always attract much attention and we cordially invite you to visit them in August and September.

Cannas thrive in any good garden soil, made rich with well-rotted stable dressing. Best results are obtained by starting the roots in-doors in pots during March or April, the plants being set out after the weather is settled and the ground warm, usually in May or June. For bedding, the plants are usually set 18 inches apart. We do not furnish dormant roots after April first, but have a full stock of growing plants in pots ready for setting as soon as weather conditions are favourable. By setting these pot-grown plants, one secures a much longer flowering period than when dormant roots are planted. Cannas continue to bloom freely until the frost cuts them down in the late Autumn, after which the roots should be lifted and stored in a dry place free from frost.

## Price: \$3.00 per dozen, \$18.00 for 100

## DESCRIPTIVE LIST

City of Portland. Glowing salmon-pink. 3½ feet. Dr. E. Ackerknecht. Bronze-leaved. Deep rose flowers. 3 feet. Duke of Marlborough. Dark velvety-crimson. 4 feet. Eureka. Pure white, green foliage. 41/2 feet. Gladiator. Deep yellow, dotted with red. 41/2 feet.

Golden Gate. Orange, gold and crimson. 4 feet.

Hungaria. Beautiful rose-pink. 31/2 feet.

King Humbert. The most popular bronze-leaved variety. Orange-scarlet flowers. 5 feet.

Lafayette. Large, rich crimson. A new variety of great merit. 4 to 5 feet.

Maros. Creamy-white. 31/2 feet.

Meteor. Rich dazzling crimson. 5 feet.

Mrs. Alfred F. Conard. Salmon pink. 4 feet.

Nokomis. Bronze-leaved. Scarlet flowers. 4 feet.

Panama. Orange-red bordered with golden-yellow. 5 feet.

Pennsylvania. Vermillion-scarlet. 5 feet.

Princeton. (New). Intense yellow. 4 feet.

Richard Wallace. Pure yellow. 4 feet.

Souvenir de A. Crozy. Scarlet crimson, bordered yellow.

The President (New). Rich, glowing scarlet. Large, full flowers. 4 feet.

Wintzer's Colossal. The largest flowered canna. Bright scarlet. 5 feet.

Yellow King Humbert (New). Yellow dotted with red. 4

## Visit Our Nurseries

During Midsummer and early Autumn, many interesting and attractive features in and about our grounds will be found at their best. The Cannas, Dahlias, and Gladioli, as well as the Roses and perennial flowers, provide a continuous profusion of bloom until heavy frosts destroy them. A visit from you will be most welcome.

## BRECK'S DAHLIAS

These old-fashioned flowers have always been in favour on account of their bright colours, and their freedom of bloom under unfavourable conditions. Their extreme variation in form and colour has resulted in an almost endless assortment of named Dahlias; but careful selection reduces to a comparatively small number the sorts that are of recognized value for garden cultivation, and it is of such sorts that our collection is comprised. Type of flower is indicated after name of each.

## Not less than six of one variety at the dozen rate

Achievement (Collegette) Clear rich velvety	Each	Dox
Achievement (Collarette). Clear, rich, velvety maroon; collar waxy snow white overlaid with		Doz.
pinkish crimson	\$3.35 .25	
A.D. Livoni (Show). A beautiful pink		
lific bloomer	1.50	15.00
Ambassador (Cactus). The sensation of the Los		
Angeles show. Colour soft yellow shading to buff and salmon. Pleasing form and large size of the American Cactus		
Amun Ra (Decorative). A decorative of great	5.00	
size, in richest shades of coppery bronze; stems are long and stiff and the flowers keep splendidly.		
Carries mass of blooms late in the season when we most want the rich autumn colours	2.00	
Arabella (Show). Light sulphur-yellow, shaded	2.00	
peach-blossom on edges	.20	2.00
recommended variety imported from Holland. The colour is a splendid deep yellow, with stiff		
stems holding the bloom upright and well above		
the foliage	. 50	5.00
grown. Colour brilliant red to yellow at tips. Flower of great substance	1.00	10.00
Bill Hart (Decorative). A most attractive flower		
of bright scarlet, distinctly tipped white  Black Prince (Decorative). Crimson shaded	1.00	10.00
maroon	. 25	
Blue Oban (Decorative). Lavender blue Bonnie Brae (Decorative). Cream, shaded blush pink. Flowers are of true decorative form.	. 50	5.00
Immense in size	2.00	
white centre. Massive flowers, broad petals, long stems	2.00	
Cardinal Mercier $(P\alpha ony)$ . Deep flesh pink, with light yellow veins shooting up from the	2.00	
base of petals. The centre formation of the floret is beautiful		
floret is beautiful	3.00	
Carmencita (Decorative). One of the most graceful and beautiful of the decorative type.		
The yellow blossoms are regularly striped red. Carries a mass of flowers all season	1.00	10.00
<b>Champagne</b> ( <i>Decorative</i> ). A rich cream suffused with light jasper red giving the flower a		
tone of glowing pinkish orange buff. The bushes are covered with massive blooms which are held		
high on long rigid stems. A perfect Decorative		:
Dahlia lasting well when cut	2.00	Ì
canary-yellow		2.00
Col. Mugford (Decorative). Orange, autumn		1
Cuban Giant (Decorative). Rich velvety purple,	1.00	10.00
shaded maroon.  D. M. Moore (Colossal). Deep velvety maroon,	.25	2.50
almost black	. 50	5.00
D. Titus (Decorative). A most pleasing combination of canary-yellow at the centre, shading		
to old gold towards the outer petals. The flowers are gigantic with massive petals of great		
texture	1.00	10.00



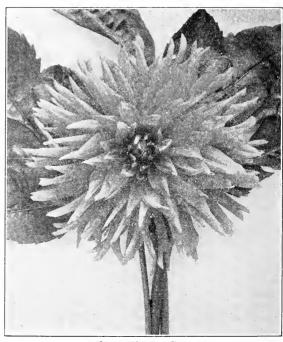
Cambria - Decorative

Dr. H. L. Tevis (Decorative). A magnificent flower, nine to eleven inches in diameter, erect on long-vigorous stems. Colour a rich combination of salmon-rose suffused with old gold	Each	Doz.
shading to apricot	\$0.75	\$7.50
mous deep flowers	1.00	10.00
colour, large	.25	2.50
colour, each petal tipped with white  Edwin Barron (Decorative). Purple tipped	-	15.00
white; one of the largest	2.00	
pink  Elsie Oliver (Hybrid Cactus). An enormous flower, creamy pink. This is a delicate new pastal blend of pink and cream. Free flowering;	.25	2.50
fine stem	3.50	
yellow collar	.25	2.50
throughout	•75	7.50



George Walters — Cactus		
	Each	
Fairy Queen (Pompon). Yellow edged rose. Gen. J. B. Seth (Cactus). Rich, brilliant scarlet	\$0.25	\$2.50
with orange scarlet shadings	. 50	5.00
shading to buff	. 75	7.50
Gladiateur (Show). Clear violet, shaded blue Gladys Sherwood (Cactus). A truly wonderful Dahlia, flowers over ten inches in diameter composed of long curling petals of glistening white forming a flower of unusual depth; these giant	-35	3.50
flowers are held erect on strong stems	2.00	
der pink. One of the best of the new varieties Golden Gate (Cactus). Golden yellow suffused	1.50	15.00
and shaded fawn	. 50	5.00
Golden West (Cactus). Pure yellow	.75	7.50
Golden West (Cactus). Pure yellow		
Grand Duchess Maria (Show). Rich buff overlaid with orange, reverse petals slightly edged	2.50	
pink	-35	3.50
with lavender	.25	2.50
red grown; ten inches is very easy to attain with this monster. For a large Dahlia it is very free		
flowering  Henry C. Gifford ( $Pxony$ ). Flowers very large. The long, narrow petals grow to a perfect centre and roll outwards, giving the appearance of a ragged Chrysanthemum. The colour is a rich oriole-yellow shaded to cream and pink	1.50	15.00
and slightly touched with orient red	1.00	10.00
are striped and splashed scarlet		15.00
wards the centre  J. E. Butler (Decorative). Red, tipped white  J. H. Jackson (Cactus). Finest dark crimson	2.00	
Jack Rose. (Decorative). Brilliant crimson-red,	25.	
similar in shade to the "General Jack" Rose  Jean Chazot (Hybrid Cadus). Colour golden bronze, with a faint suffusion of nasturtium red. Flowers borne on strong wiry stems above the foliage. A prolific bloomer, continuing		2.50
throughout the season	1.50	15.00

Judge Marean (Decorative). Large flowers of perfect type, and of a colour most difficult to describe — a glowing salmon-pink, red, iridescent changing to yellow and pure gold. Perfect	Each	Doz.
bloomer, flowers continuously. Long, straight stems	\$2.00	
straw coloured  Kalif (Caclus). Huge flowers, sometimes measuring nine inches across, of perfect form. Colour	.25	\$2.50
a pure scarlet	.75	7.50
very long, straight, star-shaped petals	.25	2.50
old rose	1.50	15.∞
lighter centre	.20	2.00
demand for decorative purposes	1.00	10.00
fused carmine. One of the best, having large- size long stems. A very free-flowering sort Lake Erie (Decorative). A clear deep lavender with heavy flat petals. No doubt the largest	1.50	15.00
among the Decoratives	3.50	
The best of its colour	2.00	
Lavender Gem (Decorative). Pure lavender Little Prince (Pompon). Crimson, tipped		10.00
white.  Lustre (Cactus). Scarlet-vermillion  Mariposa (Hybrid Cactus). An immense flower of delicate pink shading deeper at the centre, free flowering, long stiff stems. Flowers are fine	. 25	2.50
for both exhibition and cutting	3.∞	
Marjorie Castleton (Cactus). Soft rosy pink Melody (Decorative). Colour clear canary yellow		2.50
tinting to creamy white at the tips	.25	2.50
fectly erect on stout stems	3.50	
maroon, almost black	.25	2.50



Golden West — Cactus

Moonlight (Cadus). Light yellow of a pleasing	Each	Doz.
Mrs. Ashley Low (Cactus). Colour rich deep orange, with perfectly straight petals of great	\$0.75	\$7.50
length. Flowers measure 8 to 9 inches across Mrs. Carl Salbach ( <i>Decorative</i> ). A beautiful shade of pink. The large full blooms which are produced in profusion stand well above the	1.00	10.00
foliage on long stiff stems	2.00	
En tirely distinct	.75	7.50
held erect on strong stems	2.00	
flowers, speckled and striped with crimson  Mrs. Hubbard (Decorative). Salmon  Mrs. I. de Ver Warner (Decorative). The best known and one of Judge Mare'n's finest pro- ductions. Colour deep mauve-pink, usually referred to as "orchid." Flowers early, and	.50 .75	5.00 7.50
continues to the end of the season	3.00	
forming a good contrast to the yellow disc  Mrs. Jim McCandless (Hybrid Cactus). Old gold shading to apricot; fine form and very		10.00
Mme. von Bystein ( $Pxiny$ ). Lilac-blue Mme. Van Den Dael ( $Decorative$ ). Soft rose	.50	5.00
shading to white in the centre	.25	2.50
bronze flowers held erect on fine long stems  Patrick O'Mara (Decorative). Pure gold or orange buff with suggestion of pink at the outer edge	3.50	
of the petals. Robust grower with fine stems  Paul Michael (Decorative). Deep orange buff shaded to old rose on reverse of petals. One	1.50	15.00
of the best yet introduced	2.50	
white tips on long stems	1.00	10.00



Scarlet Century - Single



Mrs. Charles H. Breck — Decorative

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	President Woodrow Wilson (Decorative). A monster flower, often nine inches across on long, stiff stems. Colour a beautiful shade of deep crimson distinctly tipped pink and white. A		Doz.
	handsome variety		
	colour. Fine for exhibition	2.50	
	Deep salmon. Pastel shadesQueen Wilhelmina (Pxony). Pure white with	1.00	\$10.00
	yellow centre	.25	2.50
	Rookwood (Decorative). A bright cerise rose. One of the best in its shade. Carries the flowers	1.00	10.00
	upright on strong wiry stems	2.50	
	Flowers large and perfect. A vigorous grower  Rosemawr (Decorative). Immense flowers, rich rose pink, dwarf branching habit. One of the		
	best pink decoratives	2.00	
	royal purple	.50	5.00
	is large and regular	7.5	7.50
	Scarlet Century (Century Single). Brilliant scarlet, golden disc  Snowdrift (Decorative). This giant white deserves its name. A full, deep built flower with		
	broad waxy petals	1.00	
	Snowflake (Century Single). Pure white Souvenir de Chabanne (Collarette). Lemon-	. 25	2.50
	yellow, with coral-red markings Souvenir de Gustave Doazon (Decorative). Huge blooms and remarkably free-flowering, colour		2.50
	pure red. Stability (Cactus). Colour a beautiful rose-pink. Flowers produced on strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage. The petals are long and	. 25	2.50
	straight, making a perfect flower	. 50	5.00
	Dahlia  Sulphurea (Hybrid Cactus). A flower which always attracts attention on account of its resemblance to a Chrysanthemum. Soft yellow	.20	2.00
	in colour	.75	7.50



The Millionaire - Decorative

Susan Coe $(Pxony)$ . Early free flowering va-	Each	Do2
riety of immense size, borne on stiff wiry stems.		
A pleasing shade of rose-pink, changing to yel-		
low in the centre sometimes suffused with lilac.	\$3.50	
Susan Tibbets (Decorative). Lavender		\$10.0
T. G. Baker (Cactus). Clear yellow	. 25	
The Millionaire (Decorative). A remarkably large	,	
Dahlia of the Decorative Type. The shade cannot		
be surpassed in daintiness of colourings in the		
most delicate of lavender with a faint pink cast		
over-shading it. The depth of this flower and the		
number of large, finely shaped petals in its for-		
mation has never been equalled in any Dahlia	T (C)	15.00
Tom Lundy (Cactus). An introduction from Cali-	1.30	13.00
fornia and one of the largest Hybrid Cactus		
Dahlias grown. Of a dark velvety red, the		
blooms are held on long, stiff stems		TO 0
Tryon tieth Contant (Single) Demost white at	1.00	10.0
Twentieth Century (Single). Purest white at		
both base and tips and the centre of petals is a		
delicate blush rose. Very large - 5 to 7		
inches in diameter	.25	2.50
U. S. A. (Decorative). A beautiful Dahlia of		
vivid orange, that very unusual colour so hard to		
get in a Dahlia. Free flowering, strong stems	1.00	10.00
Vrybuitee (Decorative). Bright scarlet with		
terra-cotta shadings		5.0
W. B. Childs (Cactus). Dark maroon	.25	2.50
William Lane (Decorative). Bright scarlet	1.00	10.00
Wizard of Oz (Decorative). One of the largest in		
size, elegant formation, begins to flower early and		
holds its blooms perfect to the end of the sea-		
son. In colour it is a rare shade of amber-pink		
with soft salmon shading	5.00	
World's Best White (Decorative). One of the		
best white Dahlias introduced. Large size;		
strong stem	2.50	
Yellow Duke (Show). Primrose-yellow	. 25	2.50
Zeppelin (Decorative). Violet-mauve with sil-	,	
very suffusion	.25	2.5
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## Breck's Popular Dahlia Mixture

We make this Mixture from various types, covering a full range of colours which make a gorgeous display of wonderful blooms in the early Autumn. This Mixture we offer packed one dozen in a box, at the low price of \$1.50 per box.

# Breck's Dahlia Collections

## DAHLIA COLLECTION NO. 1-PRICE \$2.50

#### TWELVE ROOTS

A fine assortment of 12 named varieties, each one labeled, in which all types of Dahlias are represented. It is made up as follows:

#### CACTUS

Earl of Pembroke. Plum General J. B. Seth. Scarlet J. H. Jackson. Dark crimson Marjorie Castleton. Pink

#### DECORATIVE

Benedictus XV. Deep yellow Melody. Cream yellow tipped white

#### SINGLE

Scarlet Century. Scarlet Snowflake. White

## COLLARETTE

Achievement. Velvety maroon, collar white.

#### SHOW

Gladiateur. Violet, sbaded blue Storm King. Pure white Yellow Duke. Deep yellow.

## DAHLIA COLLECTION NO. 2—PRICE \$5.00

## TWENTY-FOUR ROOTS

A comprehensive collection with representatives of all the types and a wide range of colours, each one labeled.

#### CACTUS

Earl of Pembroke. Plum General J. B. Seth. Scarlet Golden Gate. Yellow, bronze tipped J. H. Jackson. Dark Crimson Kriemhilde. Deep rosy pink Lustre. Scarlet vermillion Marjorie Castleton. Pink Tom Lundy. Dark velvety red

#### DECORATIVE

Benedictus XV. Deep yellow
Blue Oban. Lavender of blue
D. M. Moore. Velvety maroon
Melody. Cream yellow tipped white
Royal Purple. Lively shade of purple
Zeppelin. Violet mauve

## Scarlet Century. Scarlet

Snowflake. White
Twentieth Century. White tinted rose

## COLLARETTE

Achievement. Velvety maroon, collar white.

## SHOW

A. D. Lavoni. Beautiful pink
Arabella. Sulpbur yellow
Elsie Burgess. White ground tipped lavender
Gladiateur. Violet, shaded blue
Storm King. Pure white
Yellow Duke. Deep yellow

## BRECK'S BABY DAHLIA COLLECTION

Six Roots postpaid for \$1.25

#### COLLABETTE

Balmoral. Deep red, white collar petals Souvenir de Chabanne. Lemon yellow, with coral red markings

## POMPON

Fairy Queen. Yellow edged rose
Guiding Star. Pure white
Little Prince. Crimson tipped white
Teddy. Rose

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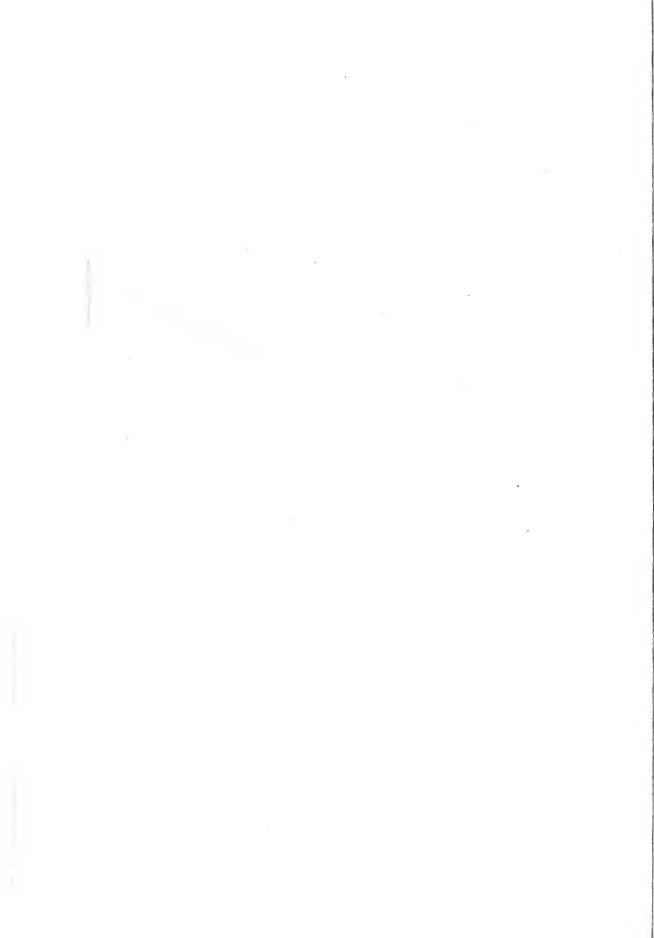
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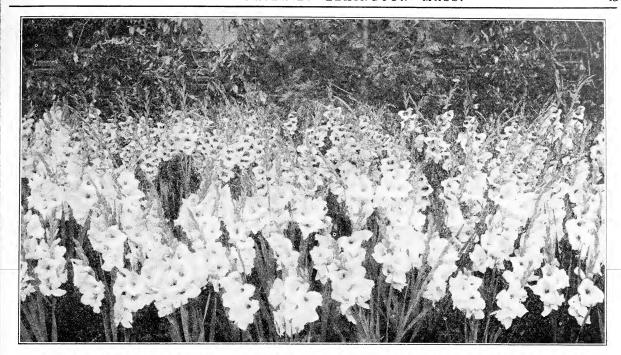
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# BRECK-ROBINSON NURSERY CO. Lexington · Massachusetts





Mass Planting of two outstanding varieties: Le Maréchal Foch in front; Mrs. Frank Pendleton in back

# BRECK'S GLADIOLI

None of the Summer-flowering bulbous plants has the great popularity enjoyed by Gladioli. They are everybody's flowers because everybody can grow them. Their adaptability to garden decoration or to use as cut-flowers during the Summer and early Autumn is surpassed by no other flower we know of. In cutting Gladioli it is best to cut the spikes as soon as the first flower has opened, always leaving from four to five leaves when cutting. The remainder of the blossoms will open in the house and last much longer. The simplicity of its culture is one of the most important qualifications of this splendid flower.

In presenting to you the following Gladioli, we wish to state that our catalogue has been entirely revised by one who has been associated with and has grown Gladioli for the past twenty years. The entire selection is based on bulbs which have proved their merit. You will not be disappointed in any one of them. They are selected as having vigourous spikes with many flowers open at one time, but more especially for their value in clearness of colour. Considerable care has also been exercised in selecting those bulbs which have a great deal of vigour. The following descriptions of Gladioli have been made as concise as possible.

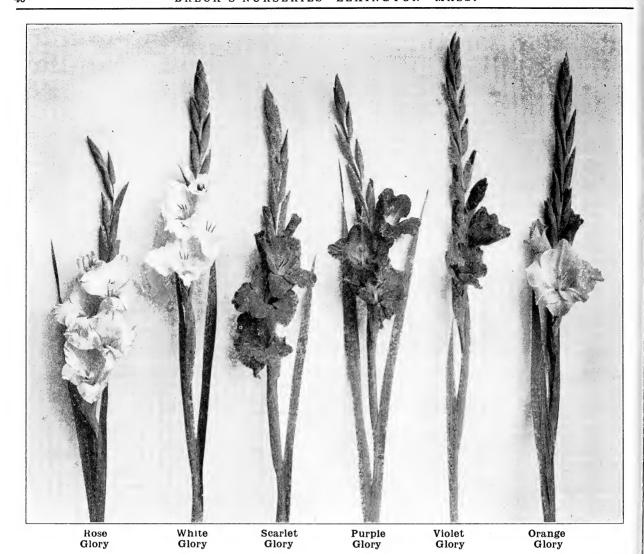
CULTURAL DIRECTIONS: Any good garden soil will grow Gladioli provided they are planted in a sunny location. Bulbs should be planted six inches deep and from four to six inches apart. We recommend an application of Sheep Manure or a mixture of ground bone and wood ashes when extra good blooms for Exhibition purposes are desired. Otherwise, no extra or special attention is at all necessary. Bulbs may be planted as early as the ground is dried out in the Spring, and planting may continue until the middle of July with good results. In the Autumn when the leaves begin to turn yellow, or after the first pronounced frost, the bulbs should be lifted, the stalks cut off and they should be stored in a cool, dry place.

## Bulbs at the single or dozen prices sent post-paid. Not less than six sold at the dozen rate.

NEW GENDIOLI Joi 192	5
Each	Doz.
Admiration. A fine distinct variety of America; pink shade with large light violet-rose throat\$ .50	\$5.50
Annie Laurie. White overlaid carmine pink with carmine pink throat, semi-ruffled, dainty medium sized flowers	20.00
Blushing Beauty. Opening buds blush pink, full flower softest possible blush, showing dainty pink throat markings	7.50
Burma ( <i>Primulinus</i> ). Wonderful shade of light coppery bronze, beautiful in artificial light 50	5.∞
Butterboy ( <i>Primulinus</i> ). Extra tall plant with large buttercup yellow flowers. A distinct and	

NEW CLADIOLL for roof

Charm. Pure deep rose-pink. A large and won- Ederful flower of beautiful shades. A blotch of	ach	Doz
deep red on lower petals\$.	75	\$7.50
Clio (Primulinus). Tall slender spike of orange		
with deep yellow throat	35	3.50
Dorian (Primulinus). Creamy white blossoms		
	35	3.50
Dr. W. Van Fleet. A magnificent shade of deli- cate rose-pink deepening towards the edges of the petals, soft canary-yellow throat	75	7.50
	13	7.30
Exquisite. A tall and vigorous plant. Many large flowers open. The colour is true Tyrian		
	75	7.50
Gold. Spike of medium height with large flowers of of pure yellow. In clearness of colour it is unsur-		
, , ,	50	5.00
Golden Measure. A tall and vigourous spike with		
many large pure yellow flowers open at a time	75	7.50



John Alden. Fine deep yellow flower with a Each Doz. distinct and clear crimson blotch......\$0.50 Joy. Purest flesh colour with dainty soft canary throat, something unusual and extra fine..... .75 7.50 Mallow. Creamy white with cinnamon markings in the throat, occasionally mottled lilac on the outside of petals, wonderful spike..... 5.00 Mary Stephen. Lavender pink with large deep crimson blotch, fine shape, wonderful texture.... 10.00 Mathew Crawford. A straight cross of "Kunderdi Glory" with "America." Creamy pink...... 7.50 Mrs. Frederick C. Peters. Wonderful variety with grand spikes of rich rose-violet, the individual flowers resembling beautiful orchids... .75 7.50 Pearl of Dawn. Light rose-pink deepening toward the borders of petals, large throat lined with red. 5.00 Persia. Dark crimson self colour almost black, for purity of colour it is unsurpassed..... 5.00 .50 Snowdrift. Very tall vigourous spike with many large pure white flowers open at once. In our estimation it is one of the very best white varieties. .50 5.00 Sulphur Glow. A beautiful shade of yellow. Many well expanded, intensely ruffled flowers -75 7.50 Sweet Briar. Shell-pink. Throat striped Tyrian Rose. Very dainty and effective variety...... 5.00 Uhlan Chief. A magnificent variety of most intense vermilion scarlet, deeper shade in lower petals and finely feathered..... 5.00 Waban. Pure glowing orange red, large blotch,

wonderful colour....

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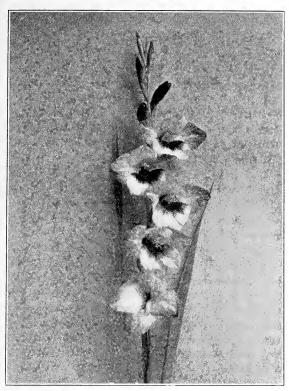
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## EIGHT "GLORY" KUNDERDI Ruffled Varieties

	Each	Doz.	Per 100
Golden Glory. A distinct shade of yellow which deepens towards the base of the throat			
tint of light pink; fine markings of bright red on lower petals  Orange Glory. Rich orange with beau-	.25	2.50	\$15.00
tiful lighter throat  Purple Glory. The giant of the "Glory"	.35	3.50	27.50
race. Colour deepest velvety maroon red, with almost black blotches Rose Glory. Purest rose-pink with	1.00	10.00	
deeper throat	.50	5.00	37.50
rich shade of red, beautifully ruffled	.25	2.50	15.00
White Glory. A gorgeous pure white, with beautiful iris-blue throat Violet Glory. Massive flower. Rich	-35	3.50	27.50
self-colour deep violet; deeper throat. Medium ruffled	.50	5.00	37.50

## The Glory Collection

One each of the above 8 varieties for \$3.50 postpaid.



Muriel

## GLADIOLI PRIMULINUS

The following list of Gladioli Primulinus is strongly recommended by us as being of superior merit. The colours are clear and pure. The plants are erect in babit and have many large flowers open at one time. They also have the exceptional value of being good keepers after being cut. The colours of Gladioli Primulinus tend to yellows, oranges, and tints of pink, rose, etc. They are without a doubt the finest vase flowers.

finest vase flowers.			
grinos circo groweros	Each	Doz.	<i>Per</i> 100
Alice Tiplady. Beautiful orange saffron.			
Prize Winner	80.25	\$2.50	\$15.00
Alma Gluek. Beautiful colour combina- tion of peach-red and sulphur-yellow	2.5	0 50	
Angola. A true apricot-pink. Ten to twelve flowers on each spike. Many	•35	3.50	
open	.15	1.50	10.00
low. Deeper throat. Many open	.20	2.00	12.00
Argo. A beautiful shade of purest pink. Resembling the Glad. Myrtle. Sixteen flowers on each spike	0.4	0 10	T. # 00
Arlon. Very large wide-petaled flower of light salmon. Red throat with deeper	.25	2.50	15.00
central lines. Showy and conspicuous. Canopus. Large, rich, solid yellow, fine	.25	2.50	15.00
shade of deeper yellow throat	. 25	2.50	15.00
Capella. Tall, very bright, fiery orangered. Very large and choice	.25	2.50	15.00
Cassandra. Soft salmon-buff, deeper on	_	-	-
outer border. Very good  Dexter. Tall. Purest blush rose pink; throat richest creamy yellow. Purest	.20	2.00	12.00
of self colours	.25	2.50	15.00
ruffled. Plant tall and many flowers open			7.4.00
at once	.25	2.50	- //
ground. Distinct and beautiful Gladness. Clear lavender, unique colour;	. 25	2.50	15.00
very fine to blend with others of this			
type	.25	2.50	15.00

· LEXINGTON · MASS.			47
Linton. Tall. Salmon-rose petals, bordered deeper. Lower petals golden-	Each	Doz.	Per 1∞
veined rose	.35	\$3.50	\$27.50
to fifteen blooms, six or seven open at one time. The flowers are large and are of a clear bright pure vellow chang-			
ing to a bright clear pink at the edges of the petals	. 15	1.50	10.00
Primunella. A grand ruffled butterfly- orchid-like flower. Beautiful Salmon Beauty. A very large and showy	. 50	5.00	
flower. The colour is deep orange-sal- mon, with a rich salmon-yellow throat Sedan. A gem, being one of the deepest	.25	2.50	15.00
yellow of the Primulinus with a crimson bar on lower petals. Ruffled  Sirius. One of the brightest and richest	.35	3.50	27.50
coloured Primulinus. Dark salmon with very rich throat. Half ruffled.  Souvenir. Deep clear yellow, finest of its	.15	1.50	10.00
shade in this type	.25	2.50	15.∞
GENERAL DESCRIPT	IV	E LI	ST
of GLADIOL	I		
Al Shira. Very dark wine red with a large and almost black throat\$	Each	Doz.	Per 100
America. Delicate lavender pink	.05	\$5.00	\$37.50 3.50
Anna Eberius. Dark velvety purple, throat deeper shade, flowers of large size Augusta. White, slightly suffused with	. 25	2.50	15.00
pink	. 10	.75	5.50
Blue Isle. Lilac blue, large crimson	.15	1.50	12.00
blotch, medium size flowers  Blue Jay. Blue Lavender, splashed	.50	5.00	37.50
with white	.35	3.50	27.50
pink on a white ground	.50	5.00	37.50
with a red blotch	.50	5.00	37.50
creamy yellow throat	.35	3.50	27.50
white	•35	3.50	27.50
deep tone, very large open flowers of the finest form and exceedingly well placed <b>Dainty Blossom.</b> Dainty medium sized	. 50	5.00	37.50
flowers, white faintly tinged blush  Desdemona. Smoky rose striped violet,	.35	3.50	27.50
blotched cream, very showy  Diana. A very tall plant with many	. 50	5.00	37.50
large pure red flowers, a rich mellow red  Esta. Tall strong spike of clear white	.50	5.00	37.50
with slight halo. An ideal cut flower  Europa. The best white yet offered	.35	3.50	27.50 20.00
Evelyn Kirkland. Rosy pink, darker at	.30	2.50	15.00
Flaming Vale. Very tall, long spikes with large deep cardinal red flowers. Throat a little deeper	.50	5.00	37.50
Flora. A tall pure light yellow	. 25	2.50	15.00
Florence. Bright lilac with large white blotch on lower petals	.50	5.00	37.50
George Paul. Ox-blood red	.10	1.00	7.50
Glory of Holland. Glistening white.  Blossoms large. Stalk tall and strong	.10	1.00	7.50
Golden West. Clear orange-scarlet, lower petals blazed with golden-yellow	.10	1.00	7.50
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Gretchen Zang. Soft salmon-pink shading to darker patch on lower petals.	Each	Doz.	Per 100
Blossoms large. Stalk tall	\$0.15	\$1.25	\$9.00
Halley. Rich salmon-pink, fading to pale flesh at centre, patch of pale yellow			
striped with carmine. Blossoms large. Blooms early	.10	.75	5.50
Hazel Dawn. Bright strawberry pink dotted with carmine	. 50	5.00	37.50
Heliotrope. Dark purple, almost black Herada. Pure mauve with deeper mark-	.50	5.00	37.50
ings in the throat	-35	3.50	27.50
Ida Van. Cochineal red Indian. Colour deep aniline or Indian	. 10	-75	5.50
red, many large flowers open at a time Jenny Lind. Soft salmon pink, creamy	. 50	5.00	37.50
throat, a deserving favourite	. 50	5.00	37.50
Liebesfeur. Vivid deep scarlet, large number of flowers open at once	.35	3.50	27.50
Le Maréchal Foch. Delicate pink-laven- der, large flowers, very early	. 20	2.00	15.00
Lily White. A fine show white of good height, good-sized blooms, many open			
at a time	.35	3.50	27.50
pink	. 20	2.00	15.00
Lucie. A tall fine yellow. A new intro- duction from Holland	. 50	5.00	37.50
Madame Monet Sully. Creamy white with large clear orange blotch	. 50	5.00	37.50
Marshal Foch. Flower is of immense size, well opened and beautifully ruffled,			
The colour is a warm salmon-pink, flaked and striped deeper salmon			
towards the edges of the petals	.35	3.50	27.50
Mary Fennell. Pink-lavender, lower petals primrose yellow	. 20	2.00	15.00
Mary Pickford. Delicate creamy white with soft sulphur yellow throat	.35	3.50	27.5 <b>0</b>
Monon. Tall, dark rose-pink, flaked darker, and darker throat	.35	3.50	27.50
Montezuma. Rich glowing dark crimso, throat striped white	.50	5.00	37.50
Mr. Mark. One of the best light blues with darker blotch	. 20	2.00	15.00
Mrs. Arthur Meeker. Exceptionally fine, deep American Beauty colour	. 50	5.00	37.50
Mrs. Dr. Norton. White shading to soft	. , 0	,	37.30
pink at edge of petals, lower petals blotched with sulphur	.30	3.00	25.00
Mrs. Francis King. Rich orange-pink with red blotch on lower petal	.10	.75	5.00
Mrs. Frank Pendleton. Deep rose-pink of two tones, patch of carmine	. 15	1.25	9.00
Mrs. Watt. French crimson of especially beautiful tone	.10	1.00	
Muriel. Light lavender, large deep vel-			7.50
vety purple blotch	. 50	5.00	37.50
blossom pink, throat white  Niagara. Pale amber yellow, slightly	.20	2.00	15.00
tinged and pencilled with rose-pink  Pacific. Deep rose-pink, lighter in	.10	1.00	7.50
throat. Large flowers, many open	. 50	5.00	37.50
deeper tone on lower petals	.10	1.00	7.50
Peace. White with slight bluish tint. Blossoms large	.10	1.00	7.50
Peach Rose. Deep rose-pink of remarkable distinction, very choice variety  Pink Beauty Blotch. Colour fine pink	.50	5.00	37.50
with blotches on lower petals	.15	1.50	10.00
Pink Perfection. Light rose-pink of exceptionally beautiful tone	.20	2.00	12.00

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President Menocal. Tall spike with	Each	Doz.	Per 100
large flowers, clear yellow bordered pink s	80.50	\$5.00	\$37.50
Prince Charming. Rich mellow maize			
colour, slightly striped deeper shade	.50	5.00	37.50
Prince of India. Colour varies from light			
to deep smoky gray, many of the petals			
being zoned, banded and freely pen-			
cilled with dark slaty blue mottled with		r 00	27 50
white	.50	5.00	37.50
Prince of Wales. Salmon-rose of exquisite tone, with lilac centre, patch of			
yellow and carmine on lower petals.	Τŕ	1.50	10.00
Pythia. A gigantic red with many mas-	• • 3	50	10.00
sive blossoms open at a time	I.CO	10.00	
Red Cloud. Bright red with white bar on			
lower petals	. 50	5.00	37.50
Red, White and Gold. Upper petals pure	- ر	,.00	37.30
white, lower petals a rich lemon-yellow			
with a beautiful pelargonium-like blotch			
of rich red on each	.50	5.00	37.50
Rev. Ewbank. A beautiful light porce-			
lain blue	.35	3.50	27.50
Scarlano. Light bright orange-red, fine			
spike and flowers beautifully ruffled	.50	5.00	37.50
Scarlet Princeps. Large scarlet flowers			
with six or more flowers open	.35	3.50	27.50
Schwaben. Canary-yellow shading to			
sulphur	.10	1.00	7.50
Tyrian Beauty. Rich American Beauty			
rose colour, large individual flowers	.35	3.50	27.50
War. Deep blood-red, shaded crimson.	.15	1.25	8.50
White Pearl. Neat and distinct variety			
of medium-sized blooms of pure white	.30	3.00	20.00
White Wonder. A magnificent large			
pure white flower, fine for cutting	. 50	5.00	10
Wilbrink. A delicate creamy pink with			
throat markings of Halley	. 15	1.25	8.00
William Copeland. Fine greyish laven-			
der blue; outstanding variety	.50	5.00	37.50
Yellow Hammer. Pure yellow, large			
strong grower. An excellent sort	.10	1.00	7.50

# Breck's Gladioli Mixtures

	Doz. P	er 100
Blue and Lavender Shades	\$1.00	\$7.00
Pink and Rose shades		
Scarlet and Red shades		
Striped and Variegated shades		
White and Light shades	.60	4.00
Yellow and Orange shades	1.00	7.00
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## BRECK'S TOP-NOTCH MIXTURE

A very choice mixture selected from the best of the newer largeflowered varieties, particular care being taken to include only colours which harmonize well together. Per dozen, \$1.00; per 100, \$7.50.

Exhibition Mixture. Made up by us from popular varieties. Per dozen, 75¢; per 100, \$5.00.

Garden Mixture. A well-balanced mixture, mostly seedlings that can not be duplicated. Per dozen, 50¢; per 100, \$3.50.

Primulinus Hybrids Mixture. Named varieties in a beautiful combination of colours. Per dozen, 60¢; per 100, \$4.00.

## BRECK'S POPULAR COLLECTION

This Collection, which has met with great favour in past seasons is not a mixture, but comprises two dozen blooming-size bulbs in four named varieties, our selection. Sent postpaid to any address for \$1.50.

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